

## ALLIES ABANDON DARDANELLES CAMPAIGN

### STEEL BUILDING IS SAFETY PLACE IN A THUNDER STORM

Under a Tree Is the Worst Place to Be When the Bolts Are Flashing from the Sky

YOU ARE PRETTY SAFE IN HOUSE

Barns Are Favorite Targets of the Prankish Bolts However and Open Field Is Dangerous

LIGHTNING RODS ARE OF VALUE

Next to Steel Building or Cave the Lightning-rodged House Is Safest

BY FREDERIC J. HASKIN

There is only one peril that is shared by everyone in practically the same degree, irrespective of age, sex or occupation. That is the danger from lightning. You can avoid the risk of being run over by keeping to the streets, you can shut all chance of contagion if you fear railway accidents, you can abstain from travel, but when the lightning begins to flash and strike, everybody must run a certain risk. It is possible to minimize that risk, however, by knowing what to do in a thunderstorm, and that is what gives a wide interest to the results of a searching investigation of lightning just completed.

Many "Slightly" Struck  
A year at least 1,500 people are struck by lightning, to a greater or less degree. It may seem anomalous to speak of some one being "slightly" struck by lightning, but as a matter of fact the popular idea that lightning never has to strike twice in the same place is largely erroneous. Only about one-third of the 1,500, or 500 people, a year are killed outright by the thunderbolt. The remaining 1,000, however, are subjected to grave injuries that often prove permanent. Most of them could have saved themselves by taking proper precautions.

There is no place in the path of a thunderstorm that is not liable to be struck by thunderbolts. It is possible, however, for people to be relatively secure from lightning-stroke even though the bolts fall about them, if the shelter which surrounds them is of such a nature that they will be protected even should the shelter itself be struck. Any spot that is completely surrounded by a network of metal is absolutely safe, and hence a steel-frame building affords the need for anxiety during a thunderstorm. An underground chamber of any sort is also absolutely safe, but with the exception of places such as these, there is always some slight risk.

Use Lightning Rods  
The most degree of safety is found in houses properly protected by lightning rods. If the protective system is properly installed, a high degree of safety can be attained, though for the person troubled by an instinctive fear of lightning, there is enough risk left to make things interesting. Any sort of a house, properly protected, is safe.

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### THIS IS HOW EAST YOUNGSTOWN LOOKED AFTER RIOT OF FRIDAY



Looking west from bridge on Wilson street, East Youngstown, as strike riot was dying down.

This picture was taken in East Youngstown, Ohio, Saturday morning, while the steel strike riot, which was an important part of the city in ashes, was still in progress. Crowds of rioters are seen in the streets. Ruins of business buildings are seen scattered about. This photo was taken from the north bridge at East Youngstown, where the fighting started.

### GRAND JURY PROBE STARTED FOR FATAL OHIO STRIKE RIOT

Guardsmen Withdrawn from East Youngstown to Guard Property in Youngstown

COUNTY THREATENED WITH SUITS

Aliens Held in Jails May Be Deported for Activities in the Riot

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—The justice department telegraphed agents at Cleveland this afternoon to leave immediately for Youngstown, Ohio, to take charge of investigation of the riots there. Reports that Austrians have been sent from New York to start strikes in munition factories caused the action.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 10.—While the Youngstown Sheet & Tube company today tried to reopen its plant with less than 500 men, and State Mediator Fred C. Croxton sought some basis for settling the strike of workers at the tube company and these other developments were taking place in East Youngstown's labor war:

1—All state guardsmen were withdrawn to Youngstown from East Youngstown except two companies left to guard the tube company's entrance and the plant of the Republic Iron & Steel company.

2—County Prosecutor A. M. Henderson under orders from Governor Willis began a grand jury probe of Friday night's rioting that caused two deaths, injury to fifty and \$1,000,000 property damage.

3—President J. A. Campbell of the tube company said he would have the mills in operation within three days, although over 7,000 men are still out.

4—Three hundred negro strike-breakers from Chicago were to arrive today.

5—No attempt was made to resume operations at the Republic Iron & Steel company. Quiet prevailed on Sunday.

The entrance of nearly four hundred men at the tube plant was made early today without incident. Two companies of state troops with fixed bayonets guarded the men.

In the looted and fire-swept portion of East Youngstown, a third of which is in ruins, gangs of workmen today were clearing away debris under direction of city officials.

May Sue County  
Some of the property owners were preparing suits against the county, which is liable to the extent of \$5,000 in each case of damage from riots. More than four hundred men were held in county and city jails, and at the court house and fire department, which were improvised into bull pens. Some prisoners will be prosecuted for rioting, some for carrying weapons.

### DIPLOMATIC GUNS IN CAPITAL ARE TURNED ON ALLIES

Trade Interference Taken Up Following Virtual Settlement of Submarine Question

TO PROTEST ON CONTRABAND

England to Be Apprised of Fact She Has Shifted Position Regarding Cotton

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—The central powers having evacuated positions threatening the United States, the American government today planned a diplomatic drive against the allies. This week was expected to see settlement of submarine controversies with Germany and Austria with respect to both the Lusitania and the Persia cases. It was also expected to mark a fresh assault upon acts of the allies affecting this nation's trade.

The submarine controversies were in the background today while the state department prepared a new complaint to England regarding seizures of American merchandise and a vigorous note protesting against the allies' contraband lists.

It probably will go forward as soon as formal settlement of the Austro-German submarine cases is reached. It will deal specially with cotton seizures and declare England has reversed all her former precedents in which she insisted cotton could never be considered contraband.

Within a few days the state department also plans to publish the recent note to England protesting against interference with and censorship of American mail.

TEACHERS' SPOKESMAN BURIED

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Miss Catherine Coggins, the "little giant" of Chicago teachers' fight for higher wages, was buried Saturday, after her body had rested in state at the city hall. She was the first woman so honored in Chicago. Governor Dunne was one of the pall-bearers.

### Listen! Movie Fans

The TRIBUNE has bought "NEWS NOTES from MOVIE-LAND", a DAILY feature dealing with current film plays and players. It is written by DAISY DEAN, the celebrated movie writer, and contracted by the CENTRAL PRESS ASSOCIATION. You'll find this interesting "Movie-land" feature in the TRIBUNE EVERY DAY, beginning with this number.

—EDITOR.

### LUSITANIA CASE CLOSED IS HINT FROM WASHINGTON

A Formal Announcement Within Week of Settlement of Incident Is Promised

MAIN CONTENTIONS ARE GRANTED

United States Declarations Concerning Submarine Warfare Are Subscribed to

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Within a week the country can expect formal announcement from the state department that the Lusitania case, now nearly a year old, has been settled. The main contentions of principle, international law and humanity in warfare, on which the United States based its original protests, have been conceded by Germany, is known.

A fifteen minute conference of "confidential nature" was held by Secretary Lansing and Ambassador Bernstorff at the request of the former today. In view of Germany's recent written agreement to abide by the United States' declarations of how submarine warfare should be conducted as it affects neutral ships and neutral passengers on neutral or belligerent vessels, the German ambassador himself frankly hinted he believed the American government and people will be pleased at the outcome of a situation which threatened to draw this country into Europe's war.

Some Terms Not Satisfactory  
This action by the ambassador follows definite rejection today by President Wilson of certain terms in an agreement practically arrived at last week by Secretary Lansing and the ambassador. The president, it is understood made material changes in the document drawn up by the two conferees. One belief is that this had to do with the question of disavowal and that the president was unwilling to concede as much as the secretary had to save embarrassment of the German government.

Bernstorff asked the state department to have the amended document delivered to the German foreign office. Its return with approval is expected in German circles in four or five days.

TORONTO UNION STATION AFIRE THOUGHT DOOMED

TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 10.—The Toronto union station was burning at 3:45 this afternoon. The flames had gained great headway and the entire building appeared to be doomed.

### STEEL REPORT OUT

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—The United States Steel company's steel tonnage report for December, made public today showed an increase of 616,731 tons unfilled orders over November.

### HUGE BRITISHER LARGEST VICTIM OF MINES IN SEA

Battleship King Edward VII Is Believed to Have Gone Down in Channel or North Sea

DISPLACED TONNAGE OF 16,350

Ship Represented Cost to Government of Nearly Eight Millions; Was New Boat

LONDON, Jan. 10.—The British battleship King Edward VII, a battleship of 16,350 tons displacement, struck a mine, and owing to the heavy sea was abandoned and sank within a short while, the official press bureau announced last night.

The ship's company was rescued with no loss of life. Two of the men were injured.

King Edward VII is believed to have gone to the bottom either in the English channel or the North sea, though no official announcement has been made. The Chatham correspondent of the Daily Mail reported today that a train load of survivors reached the naval barracks there.

The Edward VII was the largest warship lost by any belligerent since the beginning of the war.

The King Edward VII was a battleship of 16,350 tons, laid down in March, 1902. It was 453 feet long, 78 feet beam and 25 feet draught. It had four 12-inch, four 9.2-inch and ten 6-inch guns in its main battery and was equipped with four torpedo tubes, submerged. Its speed on its trial trip was nineteen knots. It had a complement of 777 men.

The battleship represented an investment of nearly \$1,600,000, or \$7,732,000 and was one of the finest of the last class of pre-dreadnaughts, corresponding in general to the American ships of the New Jersey and Nebraska type, and was only slightly older than the Natal, which was sunk by an internal explosion about a week ago.

### THREE OF LEADING LOCAL DEMOCRATS ARE IN MILWAUKEE

John C. Burns, W. F. Wolfe and C. A. Dittman Attend Gathering of Leaders Today

BURNS IN STATE COMMITTEE MEET  
Chiefs of Party from All Parts of the State Are in Session This Afternoon and Tonight

Three prominent local democrats are in Milwaukee today attending the meeting of party chiefs which is scheduled for this evening, following the meeting of the state central committee this afternoon. John C. Burns, state central committee man from La Crosse, is attending the meeting, and William F. Wolfe and Charles A. Dittman have both availed themselves of business trips to be present at the Milwaukee gathering.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 10.—Chief among Wisconsin political developments today was the gathering of the state democratic central committee here this afternoon. The main question to be taken up by the democrats was the proposition to call a state democratic convention in Milwaukee to name delegates to the national convention and to discuss the state and national political situation. United States Senator Paul O. Husting returned from Washington today to attend the meeting. Other prominent Wisconsin democrats were gathering from all parts of the state during the day.

The gathering will close tonight with an address by Senator James Reed of Missouri at Arcadia hall. He is expected to touch on President Wilson's preparedness program and other important questions which are confronting congress.

### SEES OIL FAMINE

DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 10.—M. N. Baker, local lawyer, who just returned from an investigation of the Oklahoma fields, believes an oil famine of serious proportions has developed throughout the United States. The Cushing fields output has fallen in a few months from 300,000 barrels a day to 85,000; the Healdton pool from 125,000 to 75,000. Baker believes the prices of gasoline and other by-products will continue to soar.

### LAST POSITIONS ON GALLIPOLI GIVEN UP TROOPS WITHDRAWN

Wild Unknown Zips Car Through Gates Without A Pause

North side railroaders are looking for the driver of a Ford automobile who last night smashed through the Mill street crossing gates and continued serenely on his high-speed way without stopping to pick up the splinters.

The crash came about 10:30 last night. Gateman Whittenberg said today the machine came north over the causeway at a speed close to forty miles an hour, and whizzed through the gates and over the tracks without a perceptible diminution of speed.

The railroad company is about even with the owner, it was believed today, for a crash of glass when the car struck the south gate is believed to have heralded the smashing of the windshield.

### SON SWEARS CASE AWAY FROM HIGBEE

J. E. Higbee Files Affidavit of Prejudice Against His Father in Circuit Court

HOUR OF COURT IS CHANGED  
At Request of Bar Judge Agrees to Start Sessions Half Hour Later Than in Past

Attorney J. E. Higbee today filed an affidavit of prejudice against his father, Circuit Judge J. E. Higbee, at the opening of the January term of court this morning.

Attorney Higbee is representing Harvey E. Boyle, who is suing the Wisconsin Light and Power company for the recovery of alleged damages to an automobile. The machine is said to have been struck by a street car and badly damaged. Attorney Gordon, Law and Gordon are representing the defendants.

The action on the part of Attorney Higbee is the first of its kind in the history of La Crosse county, members of the La Crosse Bar association said today. Attorney Higbee gave no reason for asking another judge for his case. Judge E. O. Clementson, who will hear the case of the state vs. C. H. Nack, will probably preside over the case in which Attorney Higbee is interested.

Upon the request of members of the La Crosse Bar association, Judge Higbee this morning changed the hour for opening circuit court. The sessions will commence, starting Wednesday, at 9:30 in the morning, instead of 9 o'clock, as has been formerly the rule. The court will close at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Thompson-Duxbury controversy over the damage suit of Mrs. Carrie Nelson against the Northwestern railroad for the death of her husband came up again this morning, when Frank E. Withrow, representing Attorney Duxbury, filed notice of appeal of Judge Higbee's decision at the last term of court.

Mrs. Carrie Nelson, formerly of Onalaska, engaged Attorney James Thompson to represent her in a suit against the Northwestern railroad for recovery of damages in the death of her husband, Albert Nelson, who was killed by a passenger train on that road at Onalaska. Attorney Duxbury was then given the case by Mrs. Nelson. The case came before Judge Higbee, who awarded the handling of the suit to Attorney Thompson. Mrs. Nelson's suit was placed on the calendar for trial, but in the event that Attorney Withrow appeals to the Wisconsin supreme court it will be continued.

Three criminal cases and twenty-seven civil cases were scheduled for trial at this term. The criminal suits are those of the state against William Grady and John Harnisch. The latter will be heard tomorrow morning. Both men are charged with statutory offenses.

The appeal of Louis Ormson and Arthur Rogers, French island men who were found guilty in court of stealing a pig, will not be heard during the present term owing to the alleged disappearance of Rogers. District Attorney Otto M. Schlach reported to the court that the sheriff had been unable to locate him.

### RETREAT IS MADE WITH NO LOSS OF LIFE IS REPORT

Great Britain Pleased That Withdrawal Was Made with No Slaughter of Troops

HORDE OF TURKS IS RELEASED

Germany May Send Ottomans Against Egypt or in Campaign in Garden of Eden

ALLIES CAN ALSO GO ELSEWHERE

Intimation Is Troops and Sea Forces Will Be Sent to Help in Egypt

LONDON, Jan. 10.—The Dardanelles campaign has been abandoned by the allies. The last remaining positions on Gallipoli peninsula have been evacuated, according to an official British statement issued last night, with the wounding of but one man.

This news has been expected for several days by the keener observers of the near eastern campaign, for the retirement of the troops from Anzac and Suvla bay three weeks ago left no strategic advantage to the retention of the tip of the peninsula.

Renewed activity of various kinds noted by the Turkish official communications in the last few days, has presumably been in the nature of preparations for the final act of the Dardanelles tragedy. Sunday night's Turkish official report covering the period from Thursday to Saturday, records increasing effectiveness and reinforcement of the Turkish batteries which have been drawing in and concentrating on the allies' remaining position.

Turks May Go to Egypt  
Turkish forces estimated at more than 200,000 have been made available for use in other theaters of war by the action of the allies in completely abandoning the Dardanelles campaign.

They comprise the prize corps of the Turkish army, hard fighters, seasoned in fierce battles on Gallipoli. The greater part of this force, it is believed here, will be thrown at once into the proposed Egyptian campaign, or sent into Mesopotamia to aid the attempt to drive the British out of the Garden of Eden.

Heavy Guns Released  
With them will go several thousand heavy guns and field pieces of all calibre employed by the Turks in withstanding the nine months assault of the Anglo-French troops from Sedd-ul-Bahr and Suvla bay. Less than twenty thousand men, it is estimated here, will be required to garrison the Dardanelles forts for the remainder of the war.

Where Will Troops Go?  
No hint as to what disposition will be made of the Anglo-French forces withdrawn from Gallipoli is permitted to be made by the censor. There is considerable speculation, however, as to the possibilities both in the Balkans and in Egypt. Climatic conditions on Gallipoli have particularly fitted the Dardanelles troops for operations in Egypt, should they be needed.

A large fleet of battleships, cruisers, submarines, destroyers and mine sweepers and other war craft were set free for operations elsewhere with the abandonment of the Dardanelles attempt.

Details of the evacuation of the last positions at Sedd-ul-Bahr were still lacking today.

The London public, however, takes no stock in Constantinople dispatches transmitted through Amsterdam reporting that the allies' losses were extremely heavy.

"A Glorious Failure"  
The Daily Express, commenting on the official report of General Monro that British casualties consisted of one man wounded and that the French suffered no losses, declared that the withdrawal was "the most glorious failure in history."

The other papers voiced similar expressions of satisfaction that the troops had been withdrawn without heavy slaughter.

That complete evacuation of the Gallipoli positions was inevitable was generally understood here after the surrender of the positions at Suvla.

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### Weather

#### Today's Temperatures

9 a. m., 24.10 a. m., 9  
10 a. m., 19.11 a. m., 10  
11 a. m., 14.12 m., 11  
12 a. m., 13.1 p. m., 12  
Sunrise tomorrow, 7:39 a. m.; sunset, 5 p. m.

Temperatures yesterday: High, 35, low, 15; precipitation, .02.

For La Crosse and vicinity: Fair tonight and probably Tuesday. Cold wave tonight. Continued cold Tuesday.

For Wisconsin: Partly cloudy and much colder tonight with cold wave. Tuesday probably fair; coldest east portion. Fresh to strong northwest winds this afternoon and tonight.

For Minnesota: Generally fair tonight and probably Tuesday. Colder tonight, cold wave northeast portion. Fresh to strong northwest winds this afternoon and tonight.

For Iowa: Unsettled weather tonight and Tuesday with snow Tuesday and west portion tonight. Much colder tonight with cold wave east and central portions.

Weather Conditions  
Storm areas are central this morning in Lake Superior district and the west plateau region and an area of high pressure and cold wave covers the northwestern states and Canadian northwest.



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**WATCH THE PAPERS TOMORROW NIGHT**

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS**

Farm property in the town of Campbell was today sold by Otto Timm to E. A. Chase, automobile dealer here, according to a deed filed with Register of Deeds A. E. Thompson. The consideration was \$2,000.  
Farm land in Onalaska township has been sold for \$5,000 to Carl B. Johnson. B. C. Johnson is the grantor.  
Land in Washington township has been sold by Henry Filler to Peter Cavadin for the sum of \$500.

**PAPENFUSS HEADS THE CIGARMAKERS**

Edward Papenfuss was elected president of the local union No. 61, of cigarmakers, at a meeting held Thursday evening. Joseph J. Wagner was elected financial secretary for the sixth consecutive time. Others elected were: Herman Schuman, vice president; Alex Major, recording secretary; Harry Bausch, treasurer; A. Peterson, Charles Klempner and H. Schumway, trustees. Herman Schuman, E. O. McIntire and J. Wenzel were elected members of the finance committee. Mr. Wagner and Mr. Papenfuss were elected delegates to the central body of cigarmakers.

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**NEWS NOTES from MOVIELAND**  
69 DAISY DEAN

After a dashing courtship of less than a week, Crane Wilbur, now appearing as a star in Horsley productions in Los Angeles, was married to Miss Arlene Archibald, a beautiful society girl popular in San Francisco and Los Angeles social circles.  
As the love story goes, the actor met the society maid in San Francisco some time ago and they became fast friends. They drifted apart, however, until by chance they met at a Los Angeles hotel, the rendezvous of many lovers, a few days before the wedding. Dan Cupid became busy and the sparks of love flew around the messianic floor and into the Indian Mission Grille, where the happy pair had wandered in forgetfulness of most everything. Difficulties which had formerly confronted the star were surmounted—the question was asked—a quick trip was made to the court house where a license was secured and soon they were wedded. Telegrams were sent to the bride's mother in San Francisco and parental blessings followed.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur are now at home in a cozy love nest in a fashionable neighborhood of Los Angeles, where they are receiving friends and congratulations.

  
Crane Wilbur.

The news that Crane Wilbur is married will not be especially pleasing to thousands of his young feminine admirers throughout the country. If he just won't remain single, however, there is some consolation in the reflection that his wife is a very charming young woman.

Carroll McComas Joins the Movies

Carroll McComas, for the last four years a Frohman star, has finally entered the movies with the Edison forces. "At Rainbow's End" is the title of a five-part drama soon to be released and in which she makes her debut to screen patrons. "At Rainbow's End" is the tale of a far-off kingdom, a prince and a princess who objected to royal matches, a trip off to America on the part of the only girl in a Fifth avenue mansion.

Ethyl Cooke, the dainty blonde leading woman of the Thanhouser company, finally has been separated from the society roles she has played so long. In "Their Last Performance", a story of stage life, its lure and temptations, she is seen as a girl who sacrifices herself.

The TRIBUNE'S  
Daily  
Short Story

BREAKING THE NEWS

BY WAYNE GRAY

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"Now, Maxie, you know—"  
"Don't call me Maxie." Max shook his big blonde head wickedly at the offending one. "If ever a kid needed it taken out of him, you do, and for a nickel I'd do it myself."  
"You'll make a fine big brother, I don't think so—maybe." Freddie flung back, but in a rebuking tone, even a grieved and disappointed tone. "Why don't you talk that way when Edie's around to listen and get acquainted with you?"  
"It's a mighty good thing for Edie and me there's only one like you in the family. I don't mind kids and I know all about boys, but there's a limit. What time did they go?"  
"About seven. I told him you was coming with your car at seven-thirty to take her out. You see, it was this way. Maxie Edie'd been crying ever since she came home and the girls and mother fussed over her and told her it was all for the best and how nice you were and now they all liked you—you know the line they hand out. And Edie cried all the more. Then pretty soon mother asks her did you two have a fight and she says no, she don't want to hear your name."  
Max's face reddened. He lit a cigarette with undeadened fingers.  
"Go ahead. What else?" he said.  
"Then the bell rings and it's the boss's son down where she's been working this last week and that's all. They went out to a show."  
Freddie stopped short. Even at eleven one may understand things, and the look on Max Dittmar's face cut short any further confidences.  
"I wouldn't care, Max," he added confidentially. "Girls is just girls, you know, and she's engaged to you."  
"What's that got to do with it when she'll go out with another fellow." He turned quickly as the opening of the outer door, but it was only Kitty, Edie's younger sister. She threw her fur scarf on the couch and laid her velvet coat and hat over beside it with a final pat before she saw Max's face.  
"Now what's happened?" she laughed. "Edie eloped?"  
"He's having the everlasting collywobbles because she went out with Jack Lewis."  
"Mother wants you to go to the store, Freddie. Kit gave him a long, steady stare of infinite disapproval. As the door shut, she glanced at Max, pacing up and down the little front parlor and she frowned. There were just eleven years between Edie's age and Max. She was twenty, he was thirty-one, and Jack was twenty-two. Kit's mind ran back and forth over the figures. She fanned forward confidentially.  
"Max, will you just listen to me a minute before mother comes in and the rest? Edie and I room together and we've been chums ever since we were toddlers. I guess, she's cried herself to sleep for three nights now. You don't mind if I tell you just the way it seems to be, do you? You've always seemed pretty big to us, Max, even before you asked Edie to marry you. Father'd give me an awful scolding if he knew I dared to open my mouth to you, but it's for Edie's sake. Do you mind?"  
"I suppose she's in love with this kid or thinks she is," Max blurted out. "Go ahead. Don't mind me."  
"She don't think she is. She knows it. So does he. But, you see, you've got father and mother on your side, and Edie's sensible. She knows you're awfully kind and good to us all, and it's a lucky thing for her. You see, you own the jewelry store and Benjie can work there and you helped father get his tailor shop started and mother just swears by you. Edie told me last night she didn't dare break the engagement when you were so good to everybody and to her. But she said she knew the minute Jack came into the office and spoke to her he was the right one. I didn't suppose you could tell for sure, but Edie says you can. He knew, too, and—and—"  
Max stood listening, watching her face and all animated and tender as she pleaded Edie's cause, watching how the gaslight caught at the gold gleams in her Auburn hair, noticing even the dimple in her cheek when she smiled. He sat back in the Morris chair with a feeling of relaxed nerve tension, hearing her argue for her sister.  
"Anyway, I don't think it's so wrong to break an engagement," Kit said earnestly. "Suppose I was engaged to somebody and then found—"

out it was all a big mistake, wouldn't I break it? Well I rather guess so. No life sentence for me, Max. Edie didn't go to work until she was nineteen, but I've been at it since I was fifteen, all the way from 'Cash' to the ribbon counter, and now I tie bows around them all and get ten a week. So I've had time to look around and think more than Edie. Anyhow, she's romantic. Why don't you let her go and marry the fellow she loves? Maybe by and by you'd find somebody you liked better, too."  
"Maybe I would," assented Max.  
"Only, we'll miss you awfully in the family." Kit's hazel eyes were full of regret. "Maybe I shouldn't have told you, but I want to get some sleep nights. Mother'll be needing me to help with dinner. Good-by."  
She held out her hand laughingly. Max stood up and laid his hands on her shoulders, looking down into her eyes searchingly. It might have been only girlish mischief he thought he read there, but his mood caught at the challenge.  
"Say, listen, Kit. Would you throw me down like that for Jack Lewis? Do you think that's fair?"  
Kit laughed, and drew back.  
"I don't know, but what it is, I know I'd have thrown down Jack for you if it had been the other way."  
The telephone bell was ringing in the hall. Kit slipped out to answer it and he followed.  
"Yes, yes, it's Kit," she said. "What? Oh, Edie, tell them yourself. I can't. No, I don't blame you a bit. I think you're just too brave for anything. Say Hello to Jack for me. What? Yes, yes, all right, I'll tell him."  
She hung up the receiver and held out both hands to Max.  
"They're in the ferry station at Twenty-third street," she whispered. "Going right over now to get married at Jersey City, and I'm to break the news to you. Max, I knew it all along. Edie told me last night, and I came home early to keep you here. I knew I could. Do you mind so awfully much?"  
Freddie opened the hall door from the dining-room, took one amazed look at the two figures in the parlor and moved stealthily back into the shadows.  
"Gee," he said to himself thoughtfully, "he must like our family."

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Seats Selling

Exchange on London received sharply from its decline of Friday, retreating not quite half of the reaction from the week's high level. Berlin exchange recovered 1-2 cent, probably a natural speculative reaction, following the rather extraordinary three cent break of the week's earlier days.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—Paul Bessire, who tried to act as peacemaker in the gun fight, was shot five times while Joe Catalano, who caused the trouble, escaped unhurt. Bessire's wounds are not serious.

CINCINNATI, Ohio.—Fred Frey, who was discovered to be Frances Frey, a girl, 24, is in a local hospital. She masqueraded in men's attire for nine years.

CHICAGO—"I'm a-fire," Mrs. Julian T. Fitzgerald telephoned her husband. "What shall I do?" "Put it out," yelled Fitzgerald over his office phone. She did.

CHICAGO.—The Old Nick himself is the father of grip. Wilbur Voliva, overseer of Zion City, says so. The devil has a storehouse of deadly gases, one for each kind of disease, says Voliva.

CHICAGO.—One hundred construction engineers paid W. D. Middaugh, "part passage money—\$45" for a great railway job in Australia. Middaugh has disappeared.

CHICAGO.—Life is merely a problem in geometry, said Rev. C. F. Wishart, Chicago pastor. "Substitute one triangle—husband, wife and child—for husband and two women or wife and two men; result, happiness."

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**AGED RESIDENT OF HOUSTON COUNTY IS BURIED TODAY**

Funeral Services Held This Morning from Residence of His Daughter in This City

Funeral services were held at 10 o'clock this morning for Peter Fitting, aged pioneer of Houston county, Minn., who died Friday at a local hospital. The ceremony took place at the home of Mrs. H. C. Schroeder, 1110 West avenue south, a daughter of Mr. Fitting.  
Rev. John H. Klaus of the German Methodist church officiated, and later the body was taken to Mound Prairie, Minn., for burial.  
Mr. Fitting was born in Hesse, Darmstadt, Germany, and at the age of six came to America with his parents. In 1860 he was united in marriage to Miss Margaret Frey, who survives him. Eight children and seven great grandchildren also survive.

**Week Financial**


**BANK STATEMENT**  
NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—The weekly actual bank statement Saturday showed the following changes:  
Surplus, increased ... \$ 7,871,130  
Loans, increased ... 4,565,000  
Reserve in own vaults, increased ... 13,630,000  
Reserve in federal reserve banks, increased ... 3,830,000  
Reserve in other depositories, decreased ... 7,383,000  
Net demand deposits, increased ... 9,147,000  
Net time deposits, increased ... 7,880,000  
Circulation, increased ... 73,000  
Aggregate reserve ... 727,426,000  
(Copyright, 1916, by New York Evening Post.)

**NEW YORK, Jan. 10.**—The tendency toward recovery from the week's earlier declines which made itself manifest on Friday's announcement of Berlin's effort to settle the Lusitania controversy, continued to govern Saturday's movement on the stock exchange. It was offset, however, by renewed selling pressure here and there and the movement was not uniform, nor indeed particularly emphatic. This may have been because the official attitude of Austria on the Persia episode is still left in doubt over Sunday. But the probability is that the hostile position taken by numerous high and practical authorities towards the "war stocks" speculation left a sense of uncertainty in the mind of Wall street. It was in that group of stocks that a hesitant or reactionary tendency was most distinctly visible. The Steel shares also, however, showed a tendency to hang back and although the railroads shares were strong during most of the morning, on a quiet market, even they moved with no great decision.  
Exchange on London received sharply from its decline of Friday, retreating not quite half of the reaction from the week's high level. Berlin exchange recovered 1-2 cent, probably a natural speculative reaction, following the rather extraordinary three cent break of the week's earlier days.

**Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks**

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**The NATIONAL BANK of La Crosse**  
December 31, 1915.

**RESOURCES.**

Loans and discounts ..... \$2,686,935.14  
Overdrafts ..... None.  
U. S. bonds to secure circulation ..... 250,000.00  
Other bonds ..... 846,200.00  
Municipal bonds to secure U. S. postal savings deposits ..... 12,000.00  
Banking house ..... 50,000.00  
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank ..... 19,500.00

**CASH RESOURCES.**

With banks ..... \$1,108,416.76  
With treasurer U. S. ..... 12,500.00  
In vaults ..... 174,743.75  
Total ..... \$5,160,295.65

**LIABILITIES.**

Capital ..... \$ 250,000.00  
Surplus ..... 400,000.00  
Undivided profits ..... 59,037.69  
Bonds borrowed ..... 12,000.00  
Circulation ..... 246,200.00  
Deposits ..... 4,193,057.96  
Total ..... \$5,160,295.65

**SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES TO RENT**

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November 7,840

Daily Average

1—Mon. 7,644 16—Tues. 7,796

2—Tues. 7,668 17—Wed. 7,834

3—Wed. 7,690 18—Thurs. 7,840

4—Thurs. 7,683 19—Fri. 7,845

5—Fri. 7,680 20—Sat. 7,958

6—Sat. 7,682 21—Sunday. 7,964

7—Sunday. 7,687 22—Mon. 7,969

8—Mon. 7,684 23—Tues. 7,980

9—Tues. 7,696 24—Wed. 7,986

10—Wed. 7,696 25—Thurs. 7,998

11—Thurs. 7,756 26—Fri. 8,032

12—Fri. 7,776 27—Sat. 8,050

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tion 8,155I, Frank H. Burgess, business  
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do solemnly swear that the actual  
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above stated.Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this first day of November, 1916.

Notary Public.

THE CHINESE  
STANDPATERSUpon the recent occasion when the  
United Press gave its clientele, of  
which the TRIBUNE is one, the bene-  
fit of an exclusive statement by the  
new Chinese emperor, Yuan Shi Kai,  
the Chinese of America were a unit  
in declaring that statement fraudu-  
lent wherein it claimed that the re-  
public was abandoned by general  
consent of the people of China. Em-  
peror Yuan's cable to the United  
Press follows:The sovereignty of the Chinese Re-  
public resides in the whole body of  
the people. The convention of the  
people's representatives, considering  
a republic unsuitable on account of  
historical reasons and public opin-  
ion, and wishing to establish perma-  
nent peace, have unanimously adopt-  
ed a constitutional monarchy. The  
status of the state's chief is natural-  
ly subject to public will. The acting  
legislature has reported to me the  
same and stated that the provincial  
and district conventions of the peo-  
ple's representatives have unani-  
mously elected me emperor.Later, commenting upon this ca-  
blegram, the Outlook for December  
29th, observes:The alleged "unanimous" charac-  
ter of the elections above mentioned  
has already been explained in these  
pages. So far from unanimous were  
they that the southern Chinese in  
this country belonging to "the Chi-  
nese Republic Association" (said to  
have a membership of hundreds of  
thousands) have already recommend-  
ed a Provisional President for China,  
and have named the man. The Chi-  
nese Chamber of Commerce of Port-  
land, Oregon, has also cabled its pro-  
test to the parliament at Peking  
against the proposed change; the  
president of the chamber of com-  
merce is quoted as saying that "theChinese people will never permit this  
reactionary program to be carried  
out. We fully expect to see Yuan  
assassinated."There is something familiar about  
this statement that the "provincial  
and district conventions of the peo-  
ple's representative have unani-  
mously elected me, etc." It harks back  
to "the good old days" in Wisconsin  
when a dozen duly instructed gen-  
tlemen here and there met in a bandbox  
and named the delegates who were  
to re-name the candidates named by  
the railroads and other special in-  
terests. No doubt China must have  
much the same experiences through  
which older republics have gone, and  
the efficiency of the "system" in her  
case seems to have been adequate for  
the temporary swing back to mon-  
archy. We suggest that when China  
makes a new start she begin with the  
primary election law.IN THE INTEREST  
OF CLARITYThere is a striking similarity be-  
tween the opera and the movies—Wait, don't go yet! We do not de-  
sign to be rebald concerning such a  
high institution as the opera. It's  
just a suggestion, don't you know?Well, as we were saying, there is  
a similarity between the opera and  
the movies. Unless you are fluent  
in French and Italian you can't get  
more than a sketchy idea of what is  
passing between the tenor and the  
bass villain. And in the movies you  
have to be a lip-reader if you want  
to get much of the conversation be-  
tween characters.The movies have an ingenious way  
of getting around that difficulty.They cut in a sub-title at appropriate  
moments that explain the action:"Helen Discovers John's Perfidy," or  
"The Erring Son Disowned." At the  
opera, however, you have just got to  
guess, and be dummed to you! And  
half the time you guess wrong; or  
we do.Why not sub-titles for the operas,  
printed legibly in English, so that  
we can follow the action?EXPRESSIO  
AND LIFESays an exchange, "We have often  
regretted that the Puritan takes his  
pleasure so sadly."This recalls the observation of one  
who when asked how a certain re-  
former was succeeding, replied, "Ad-  
mirably! He is making everybody  
feel miserable about their enjoy-  
ments."That is the trouble with most of  
our preachers and teachers. What  
"verboten" is politically in Germany,  
it is socially in the United States.  
Only if it be true that they have de-  
generated can normal human senses  
be bad. Excepting for excesses and  
abuses they are all right, and the best  
life is the expression of natural im-  
pulses. Not until religion and moral-  
ity become pleasurable human ex-  
pressions will they exert a controll-  
ing influence upon our civilization.

Needed No Extras

Down in the crimson clover zone  
there were two farmers named Jones  
and Smith, respectively. Jones was  
old-fashioned and stuck to old-fash-  
ioned ways, but Smith, who was  
more modern, bought a fine new  
automobile. One day he was proudly  
exhibiting it to some friends when  
Jones came along."Um," remarked Jones, as he  
thoughtfully sized up the handsome  
machine. "What's that there on the  
side?""That's a spare rim and a tire,"  
answered the proud Smith. "We al-  
ways carry an extra one in case one  
of the wheels goes wrong.""Jes' as I allers said," was the dis-  
dainful response of Jones, "I've driv-  
ed horses for nigh on 50 years and I  
never had to carry a spare leg for  
one a' them yet."—Philadelphia  
Press.

Favored Votes for Women

"Does your wife want to vote?"

"No; she wants a larger town  
house, a villa on the seacoast and a  
new limousine car every six months.  
I'd be pleased most to death if she  
could fix her attention on a smaller  
matter like the vote."Quips and Cranks  
and Wanton Wiles

The Pasture Bars

Tonight beside the pasture bars  
I heard the whippoorwill.While, one by one, the early stars  
Came out above the hill.I heard the tinkle of the spring,  
I heard the cattle passSlow through the dusk, and lingering  
To crop the wayside grass.O weary world of fret and strife,  
O noisy years and vain,What have you paid me for my life  
Since last, along this lane.A barefoot boy, I drove the cows  
In summer twilight still,And paused beneath the orchard  
boughs

To list the whippoorwill?

Come, peace of God, that passeth all  
Our understanding's sight:Fa! on me with the dew that fall,  
And with the falling night.Among these native hills and plains.  
By these baptismal streams,Wash off the city's fever stains,  
Bring back my boyhood's dreams.Beside the doors where life began  
Here let it find its close;And be its brief, remaining span  
All given to repose.

—Henry A. Beers in Yale Review.

His Observation

"While it is quite true that you  
cannot raise flowers with last year's  
sunshine," said J. Fuller Gloom, "I  
have often observed that it is per-  
fectly possible for persons of the  
most mediocre qualifications to ex-  
alt themselves to fairly high posi-  
tions in social or political circles on  
the strength of their relation to their  
ancestors or their resemblance to  
the grand old statesmen of the past."

—Judge.

Some Beat It

Just as the manager was showing  
some visitors around the factory the  
dinner bell rang, and the men stop-  
ped work and disappeared as if by  
magic."Do all of them," said one of the  
guests, smiling, "drop their tools the  
instant the bell goes?""Oh, no; not all of them," said  
the manager. "The more orderly  
ones have their tools put away be-  
fore that time."

Truth for the Traveler

Man at Ticket Office (purchasing  
transportation)—Can I stop over in  
Dubhurst on this ticket?

Agent—Well, this ticket is only

DON'T BE BILIOUS,  
HEADACHY, SICK  
OR CONSTIPATEDEnjoy life; Liven your liver  
and bowels tonight and  
feel great.Wake up with head clear,  
stomach sweet, breath  
right, cold gone.CANDY  
CATHARTIC  
CASCARETS  
10¢

WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

Take one or two Cascarets tonight  
and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver  
and bowel cleansing you ever ex-  
perienced. Wake up feeling grand,  
your head will be clear, your tongue  
clean, breath sweet, stomach regu-  
lated and your liver and thirty feet  
of bowels active. Get a box at any  
drug store now and get straightened  
up by morning. Stop the headache,  
biliousness, bad colds and bad days.  
Feel fit and ready for work or play.  
Cascarets do not gripe, sicken or in-  
convenience you the next day like  
salts, pills or calomel. They're fine!Mothers should give a whole Cas-  
caret anytime to cross, sick, bilious  
or feverish children because it will  
act thoroughly and can not injure.

## THE BEST TEST

Is the Test of Time

Years ago this La Crosse resident  
told of good results from using  
Doan's Kidney Pills. Now Mr. Del-  
phenick confirms the former state-  
ment—says there has been no re-  
turn of the trouble. Can La Crosse  
people ask for more convincing tes-  
timony?W. Delphenick, 1718 Badger St.,  
La Crosse, says: "My back gave out  
and from morning until night, I suf-  
fered from misery over my kidneys.  
I was delivering milk at that time  
and could hardly get in and out of  
the wagon. Doan's Kidney Pills soon  
removed every sign of pain in my  
back." (Statement given October,  
1908).

A LASTING EFFECT

OVER FOUR YEARS LATER, Mr.  
Delphenick said: "Doan's Kidney  
Pills cured me to stay cured."Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't  
simply ask for a kidney remedy—  
get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same  
that Mr. Delphenick has twice pub-  
licly recommended. Foster-Milburn  
Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.good for so many hours, and there is  
no other train until after it expires.  
Before then time you will be kicking  
yourself because you did not keep on.  
—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Wanted a Bigger Welcome

They tell a story about a food king  
who, blustering into the house at 4  
o'clock in the morning, growled:

"Hello! Where's all the servants?"

"If you please, sir," the butler an-  
nounced respectfully, "when it came  
3 o'clock I thought you were spend-  
ing the night out and ventured to  
send most of the footmen off to  
bed, sir.""Humph!" growled the food king.  
"Ventured to send 'em off to bed  
eh? Fine piece of impudence! Sup-  
pose I'd happen to bring a friend  
home—then there'd only have been  
you seven to let us in!"—Everybody's  
Magazine.

Hedging

"Let me show you the difference  
between the dry Sunday and the wet  
Sunday," said the enthusiast.

"I know what it is," said Guzzler.

"What is it?"

"The dry Sunday is hard to get  
through. The wet Sunday hard to  
get over."—St. Louis Republic.

Obeying Orders

The grocer had just put a new boy  
to work and among the other instruc-  
tions was this:"If you do not happen to have what  
a customer asks for suggest some-  
thing else as nearly like it as possi-  
ble."Soon a woman came into the store  
and asked the boy: "Have you any  
fresh green stuff today?""No, ma'am," answered the boy,  
"but we have some nice bluing."

Another Matter

Tommy was writing a long letter  
to his father at the front when a vis-  
itor was brought into the room by his  
aunt.In his haste to clear the table, Tom-  
my upset the ink all over the brand  
new plush tablecloth. Immediately  
he began to sob.

"Don't cry, Tommy," said his aunt.

"Remember, it's no use crying over  
spilt milk."

But Tommy replied amid his sobs:

"Cose it ain't. But when you spill  
milk you've got to call the cat, and  
she'll lick it up for you. But this  
ain't milk, and mother will do the  
licking."—Pittsburg Chronicle Tele-  
graph.

MUESTER'S MOTHER DEAD

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Mrs. Julia C.  
Muester, mother of Erich Muester,  
the Harvard professor who disap-  
peared after the death of his wife  
nine years ago, is dead at her Chi-  
cago home today, ignorant of the be-  
lief that her son was located again  
as Harry Holt, who attempted to  
kill J. P. Morgan. The secret was  
kept from her, even when Holt com-  
mitted suicide.

Highly Recommended. — Stranger

"Have you a good hair tonic you  
can recommend?" Druggist (prohibi-  
tion town).—"Here is something  
that is spoken of very favorably by  
the people who have drunk it."—To-  
peka Journal.INSIDE  
THE  
LINES

EARL DERR BIGGERS

Who Wrote  
SEVEN KEYS TO  
BALTPATEThe Bobbs-Merrill Company  
Publishers

Woodhouse caught his breath.

Jane Gerson, who knew him, at the  
governor's home! But he mastered  
himself in a second and bowed his  
thanks. Lady Crandall was moving  
toward the door. Her ward turned  
and held out a hand to Woodhouse."So good of you to have straight-  
ened out my finances," she said, with  
a smile in which the man hoped he  
read full forgiveness for his denial  
of a few minutes before. "If you're  
ever in America I hope—" He looked  
up quickly. "I hope somebody will  
be as nice to you, Good night."Woodhouse and Almer were alone  
in the mongrel reception room. The  
hour was late. Almer began slid-  
ing wooden shutters across the  
back of the street windows. Wood-  
house lingered over the excuse of a  
final cigarette, knowing the moment  
of his rapprochement with his fel-  
low Wilhelmstrasse spy was at hand.He was more distraught than he  
cared to admit even to himself. The  
day's developments had been start-  
ling. First the stunning encounter  
with Capper there on the very Rock  
that was to be the scene of his de-  
licate operations—Capper, whom he  
had thought sunk in the oblivion of  
some Alexandria wine shop, but who  
had followed him on the Princess  
Mary. The fellow had deliberately  
cast himself into his notice. Wood-  
house reflected; there had been  
menace and insolent hint of a power  
to harm in his sneering oburgation  
that Woodhouse should remember  
his name against a second meeting."Capper—never heard the name in  
Alexandria, eh?" What could he  
mean by that if not that somehow  
the little ferret had learned of his  
visit to the home of Doctor Koch?  
And that meant—why, Capper in  
Gibraltar was as dangerous as a  
colored cobra!Then the unexpected meeting with  
Jane Gerson, the little American he  
had mourned as lost in the fury of  
the war. Ah, that was a joy not un-  
mixed with regrets! What did she  
think of him? First, he had been  
forced coldly to deny the acquaint-  
ance that had meant much to him in  
moments of recollection; then, he  
had attempted a lame explanation,  
which explained nothing and must  
have left her more mystified than be-  
fore. In fact, he had frankly thrown  
himself on the mercy of the girl on  
whom he had not the shadow of a  
claim beyond the poor equity of a  
chance friendship—an incident she  
might consider as merely one of a  
day's travel as far as he could know.  
He had stood before her caught in a  
deceit, for on the occasion of that  
never-to-be-forgotten ride from Ca-  
lais to Paris he had represented him-  
self as hurrying back to Egypt, and  
here she found him still out of uni-  
form and in a hotel in Gibraltar.Beyond all this, Jane Gerson was  
going to the governor's house as a  
guest. She, whom he had forced,  
ever so cavalierly, into a promise to  
keep secret her half knowledge of the  
double game he was playing, was go-  
ing to be on the intimate ground of  
association with the one man in Gib-  
ralter who by a crook of his finger  
could end suspicion by a firm squad.  
This breezy little baggage from New  
York carried his life balanced on the  
rosy tip of her tongue. She could be  
careless or she could be indifferent;  
in either case it would be bandaged  
eyes and the click of shells going  
home for him.It was Almer who interrupted  
Woodhouse's troubled train of  
thought."Captain Woodhouse will report  
for signal duty on the Rock tomor-  
row, I suppose?" he insinuated,  
coming down to where Woodhouse  
was standing before the fireplace. He  
made a show of tidying up the scat-  
tered magazines and folders on the  
table."Report for signal duty?" the  
other echoed coldly. "How did you  
know I was to report for signal duty  
here?""In the press a few weeks ago,"  
the hotel keeper hastily explained.  
"Your transfer from the Nile country  
was announced. We poor people here  
in Gibraltar, we have so little to

## Mary Pickford

played

MADAME BUTTERFLY

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patrons they will have to come early to get a seat  
for this Pickford.

AT THE BIJOU—Home of Paramount Pictures.

think about, even such small details  
of news—"Ah, yes. Quite so." Woodhouse  
tapped back a yawn."Your journey here from your  
station on the Nile—it was without  
incident?" Almer eyed his guest  
closely. The latter permitted his eyes  
to rest on Almer's for a minute be-  
fore replying."Quite." Woodhouse threw his ci-  
garette in the fireplace and started  
for the stairs."Ah, most unusual—such a long  
journey without incident of any kind  
in this time of universal war, with  
all Europe gone mad." Almer was  
twiddling the combination of a small  
safe set in the wall by the fireplace,  
and his chatter seemed only inci-  
dental to the absorbing work he had  
at hand. "How will the madman end,  
Captain Woodhouse? What will be  
the boundary lines of Europe's na-  
tions in—say, 1932?"Almer rose as he said this and  
turned to look squarely into the oth-  
er's face. Woodhouse met his gaze  
steadily and without betraying the  
slightest emotion."In 1932—I wonder," he mused,  
and into his speech unconsciously ap-  
peared that throaty intonation of the  
Teutonic tongue."Don't go yet, Captain Wood-  
house. Before you retire I want you  
to sample some of this brandy." He  
brought out of the safe a short squat  
bottle and glasses. "See, I keep it in  
the safe, so precious it is. Drink with  
me, Captain, to the monarch you  
have come to Gibraltar to serve—to  
His majesty, King George the  
Fifth!"

Almer lifted his glass, but Wood-

house appeared wrapped in thought;  
his hand did not go up."I see you do not drink to that  
toast, Captain."

"No—I was thinking—of 1932."

"So?" Quick as a flash Almer  
caught him up. "Then perhaps I had  
better say, drink to the greatest  
monarch in Europe.""To the greatest monarch in Eu-  
rope!" Woodhouse lifted his glass  
and drained it.Almer leaned suddenly across the  
table and spoke tensely: "You have  
—something maybe—I would like to  
see. Some little relic of Alexandria,  
let us say."Woodhouse swept a quick glance  
around, then reached for the pin in  
his tie.

"A scarab; that's all."

In the space of a breath Almer had  
seen what lay in the back of the  
stone beetle. He gripped Wood-  
house's hand fervently."Yes—yes, Nineteen Thirty-two!  
They have told me of your coming.  
A cablegram from Koch only this af-  
ternoon said you would be on the  
Princess Mary. The other—the real  
Woodhouse—there will be no slips;  
he will not—"

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## BRINGING UP FATHER



## NORTH SIDE

### 4,000 'Boes Guests of Mill St. Police Station in Year

It hasn't any bellhop service, and its only claim to mod-ernity is that there are two kinds of cold water in the bath-room, but the Mill street police station is believed by the police department to be the busiest hotel in the city. The police base their contention on figures compiled today of the number of guests during 1915. There were nearly 4,000—3,900 to be exact. All were loaves who ap-plied for a night's lodging, and got it with breakfast in the morning.

December was the heaviest month in point of business, 364 tourists enjoying the city's hos-pitality.

The service, while good, is not effete luxurious, for it cost only \$116 to feed the wanderers for the year.

So far this year eighty ho-boes have been guests of the Mill street station. Wednesday, Jan-uary 5, was the heaviest night, with seventeen lodgers, followed Thursday night by only four.

## North Side Briefs

O'Neil shoe store, inventory sale.

William Kios has returned to his home in Friendship after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Peter-son, 1551 Berlin street.

Mrs. Martin Hickey is again able to be about after having been con-fined to her home, 1346 Charles street, with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bissen have returned to De Soto after a visit with north side relatives and friends.

Miss Mae Mullen, who spent the past few days in Dubuque, has re-turned to her home, 1715 Loomis street.

Bob Fitzpatrick, 1696 Berlin street, is spending a few weeks in Chicago.

Mrs. Grant McClintock has returned to her home in West Salem after a visit at the home of Mrs. Andrew Nelson, 1352 Caledonia street.

Sam Wheeler, who has been ill at his home, 528 Mill street, is again able to be about.

Mrs. Daniel Deneen, who is con-fined to her home, 817 Berlin street, with illness, is recovering.

William Dawes, who is confined to his home, 1651 Berlin street, with ill-ness, is slowly recovering.

Miss Jessie Gould, Stoddard, has returned after visiting north side friends for the past few days.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cleson Wiles, Proctor, Minn., a son.

Miss Elizabeth Coughlin, 1529 Wood street, entertained the mem-bers of "B. B. C." club at her home Saturday afternoon. A light luncheon was served.

Miss Annadelle Herrington, Trem-pealeau, has returned after spending the week-end on the north side.

Mrs. John Malay, 518 Wall street, is confined to her home with illness.

John Blystad is ill at his home, 1227 Avon street.

James Andrews and Rick Wall of Holmen spent Sunday here visiting friends.

Bert Nelson left for Houston, Minn., this morning on business.

James Sauter is on a business trip to Whitehall, Minn.

L. H. Sticker of this city is mov-ing his family to Maryland, Wis., where he has purchased a knitting mill.

### MONSIEUR BABY DIES

Emil Monsour, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Monsour, 1818 Mill street, died yesterday noon with bronchial pneumonia. The baby was not three months old. Burial took place this afternoon following ser-vices at 2:30 p. m. in St. James church.

It is excusable, also, to suspect the motives of the silver-tongued orator who orates too much of principle.

## Mothers Make This Home Made Cough Syrup

The good, tender, thoughtful mother can make a full pint of the quickest acting, permanent result giving by the whole family for coughs and colds, thus preventing pneu-monia, sore throat, diphtheria and other fatal maladies. Just obtain a concentrated fluid known as essence Menthio-Laxene—a 2 1/2 oz. bottle, and empty it into a pint jar or bot-tle. Then take a pint of granulated sugar and pour over it a half pint of boiling water; stir, cool and fill up the bottle with the syrup. Full di-rections for making and using are contained on each package. All good druggists sell it, or it can readily be obtained of their wholesaler. Thou-sands of families are using this be-cause of its cheapness and thorough-ness. It contains no poisons or opiates.

## Hot Spots In The East Youngstown Strike And Riot

One unidentified steel worker, aged 23, shot and killed.

Thirty-seven wounded, three probably fatally.

Drunk, rioting mob, applied torch to East Youngstown busi-ness district, leveling thirty busi-ness houses, including bank and postoffice. Thirty houses and ten tenements destroyed.

Burned and looted area three-fourths of a mile long and half mile wide.

Damage estimated at \$1,000,000.

Fifty persons in jail charged with looting.

Two thousand two hundred state troops in control of situa-tion.

Thirteen thousand five hun-dred steel workers affected by closing down of Youngstown Sheet & Tube company and Re-public Iron & Steel company, 6,000 being union strikers.

Clerks firing furnaces of Youngstown Sheet & Tube plant to prevent their ruin.

Strike precipitated by men's demand for increased pay from 19 1/2 to 25 cents per hour for unskilled laborers, time and a half for overtime, double pay on Sundays.

Firm grants ten per cent in-crease.

Union leaders threaten to call strike of 30,000 steel workers in Mahoning valley.

State industrial commission offer mediation.

Ohio National guard officers frustrate plot to blow up Re-public Iron & Steel plant.

Talk and trouble are also closely related.

## AN OLD RECIPE TO DARKEN HAIR

### Sage Tea and Sulphur Turns Gray, Faded Hair Dark and Glossy.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly com-pounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; also ends dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and trouble-some.

Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You will get a large bottle for about 50 cents. Every-body uses this old, famous recipe, because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morn-ing the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy, and you look years younger.

Contrary to current belief, the safest place out of doors to seek during a thunderstorm is the thick timber. There are so many possi-ble points for the bolt to strike, that the chance of its selecting any particular one of them is correspondingly small. Select some unassuming little tree in the midst of a dense growth, with taller trees close, but not too close, and you are secure as you can get without a house to shelter you.

You should remember that a wire fence is always a danger spot, in timber or out. The flash may strike the fence at a point a quarter of a

## STEEL BUILDING IS SAFETY PLACE IN A THUNDERSTORM

(Continued from Page One)

lected or unprotected, is better than a shelter under a tree or in a barn, or a position out in the open.

Even when lightning hits a house, there is at least one chance in two that it will not hurt anybody inside. Even if the occupants are hit, they are more likely to be injured than killed. On the other hand, if you take shelter under a tree and light-ning gets that tree, your chances are slim. They are still slimmer if you happen to be walking about in the open, and play a leading part in con-ducting the flash from the cloud to the ground.

Don't Telephone

It is possible to minimize still fur-ther the risk you run inside a house, by keeping away from dangerous places. A draft is bad, as almost ev-eryone has heard. Near the tele-phone is a poor place to be caught during a thunderstorm, and unless there is something particularly ur-gent to communicate, it had better wait until the flashes are over. Per-haps the most dangerous place in the house is one whose existence you hardly suspect. It lies between some mass of metal on the outside of the building and some mass on the in-side; for instance, the line between a water-spout and a radiator. This is dangerous because the lightning will probably strike the water-spout if it strikes the house, and running down the metal, it often leaps to some other near-by path, such as that furnished by the radiator. If you are in between the two, you may regret your intrusion.

Don't Worry

Chimneys are also danger-spots during a thunderstorm, and it is best to keep away from any metal that communicates with the exterior of the building, such as a ventilator pipe or a screen door. Lightning is a freakish and eccentric phenomenon, and its path through a building may include almost anything, but these are the channels it is most likely to follow. In any event, the chance of being injured while sheltered in a house is so small that it is hardly worth worrying about. Those who are constitutionally timid in the mat-ter can reduce the slight hazard by bearing in mind the facts mention-ed above, but most of the lightning-risk comes out-of-doors.

The statement that a house is a safe place in a thunderstorm must not be taken as applying also to barns. Lightning seems to have a particular fondness for trying its hand at long-range shots on barns. Some experts claim that this is due to the fact that warm dry air in a barn favors the passage of electric-ity. At any rate, a barn is a very poor shelter. Even worse is a tree that stands out by itself, in a meadow or on a bald hillside. If the light-ning hits anything in that neighbor-hood, it will probably pick the tree. For the same reason, it is poor poli-cy to wander around in an open field, or over a treeless plain when lightning is abroad; for in that case you yourself have the doubtful hon-or of being the most tempting mark in sight.

Move Slowly in Open

The danger of the open plain is strikingly shown in the annual deaths of scores of sheep-herders, whom the thunderbolts hurl to an unrecorded doom on the treeless mesas of the west. As the only speck for miles around that rises ever so slightly above the general flatness, they present the natural point for the straining electrical con-nection between earth and cloud to break through. These men have one maxim for use in thunderstorms that is interesting even though the sci-entists have apparently never de-duced it in their investigations. Their principle is: When seeking safety, go slow. To race your horse across the plain toward the sheltering tim-ber is to invite destruction.

Contrary to current belief, the safest place out of doors to seek during a thunderstorm is the thick timber. There are so many possi-ble points for the bolt to strike, that the chance of its selecting any particular one of them is correspondingly small. Select some unassuming little tree in the midst of a dense growth, with taller trees close, but not too close, and you are secure as you can get without a house to shelter you.

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## PAY as Much Attention to the Laundering of Your Shirt as to the Original Selection

You are probably fus-sy about the pattern, fit and quality of your shirts when you buy them. Why not then be fus-sy about their retain-ing those es-sentials which first made the shirt attractive to you and which you want to retain?

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mile away and run along the wire un-till it finds some convenient path for joining the earth. Cattle standing by a fence have been killed by a bolt that struck a hundred yards away. In the west, a dozen poles of a rural telephone line have been split to splinters by the same bolt, which skipped along the wire from pole to pole.

It is worth noting that the dan-ger from lightning is almost en-tirely a rural danger. In compensation for the hazards rising from taxicabs and trolleys, city dwellers are largely exempt from death from the clouds. Life insurance statistics show that the percentage of death by lightning among their urban ac-cident risks is negligible. Fires are an even better index than insurance records to the blows of lightning. The Bureau of Standards, which con-ducted the investigation before re-ferred to, finds that in 1912 about six fires in every hundred in Illinois were started by lightning, but in that dis-trict embracing the city of Chicago only about one fire in every 200 started from the same cause. Nine-tenths of the fatalities from light-ning occur in rural districts.

Causes Many Fires

Lightning as a cause of fire plays a far larger part than in the destruc-tion of human life. There is an an-nual property loss of about \$8,000,000 in United States due to light-ning. Most of this loss occurs in rural districts, especially in states which have a rich thickly-settled farming region with few large cities.

The lightning rod, properly in-stalled, is very efficient in preventing damage from thunderbolts. Here in the United States we are prone to regard the rod with some suspicion, due probably to a sad national ex-perience with lightning-rod agents. In Europe, however, the installation is regarded with greater seriousness, and is treated more respectfully. The Bureau of Standards has investigat-ed all available evidence, and con-cludes that taking rods as they come in the general run they reduce the fire risk 80 to 90 per cent in the case of houses, and as much as 99 per cent in the case of barns.

Regarded purely as a business propo-sition, the question of whether a barn or other building should be rod-ded must be settled by balancing the cost of installing a protective sys-tem against the cost of carrying in-surance on the property. In many locations, property can be insured against lightning at a very low pre-mium. On the other hand, some farm-ers' insurance companies urge their policy holders to put up rods, sup-ply the materials at cost, and some-times even refuse to insure non-rod-

ded outbuildings. What probably decides most people for or against such installations is the element of personal security. If they feel un-easy during a thunder-storm, they install a rod.

Some Lightning Harmless

There is often much useless an-xiety felt by the timid when lightning begins to play. Not all bolts of light-ning are dangerous. The heat-light-ning that flickers in the summer sky is only a reflection of some far-away storm. The flashes that run along the horizon accompanied by thunder that mutters and rumbles instead of crashing may be admired in perfect security. The rare winter thunder-storm accompanied by snow is usu-ally harmless. But when the clouds bank up suddenly back against the course of the wind, the light fades to a luminous gloom, a tense still-ness comes over the atmosphere, and great silver swords of fire begin to dart up and down the heavens, then the gods are at play and it is time for the innocent by-stander to step side-ways.

As a general thing, the easy mark thinks he's especially astute.

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First Aid to Happiness and Prosperity in the New Year

Among first aids to a happy and prosperous New Year there is always The World Almanac. A standard reference book, fresh from the presses and bearing the date 1916, is now available to purchasers. A peep into the book shows that it comes to the public bringing, according to its annual custom, not only the election returns, crop reports, business figures, sporting records and other statements and statistics covering the transactions of the year just passed, but the abundance of fresh facts and features necessary to keeping up with a world that moves.

The great war in Europe receives attention in a summary of events and a chronological table. At another extreme of public interest, the development of the motion picture business is considered. There are two pages about Woman Suffrage achievements and the recent vote. The substance is given of the Constitution rejected at the New York polls last November. And among the other and unnumbered subjects of special attention are these:

Widowed Mothers' Pensions; Political Platforms; Congressional Committees; State Legislation in the United States; Peace Movements; the Lincoln Highway from New York to

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**Personals**

B. A. Yeomen dance every Tues. Masquerade Thursday, 35c a person.  
F. O. Mork, register of deeds of Vernon county, was a visitor at the office of Register of Deeds A. E. Thompson this morning. He also transacted business and visited with friends about the city.

Miss Anna Worth has returned to her duties in the office of County Judge John Brindley after an illness caused by the grip.

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After having been confined to his home, 909 Vine street, for the past week with the grip, P. W. Gage, supervisor of signs on the Burlington road, returned to his duties this morning.

Miss Fannie Moore, formerly of this city, has returned to her home in Madison, S. D., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Main, 121 West Avenue South.

D. Drummond, jeweler, 522 State Mrs. J. D. Gage, who is ill with the grip, is slowly improving.

Mrs. A. L. Marshall, 1334 Pine street, who is ill with blood poisoning, is reported improving.

Attorney Thomas Morris has returned from Milwaukee, where he attended the state convention of chiropractors.

For hurry-up calls use Radke taxi. Phone 42.

Charles Maine and his daughter Harriet of Grand Forks, N. D., are visiting relatives in the city. They arrived Saturday.

Roy Stevens has returned to his home in Turtle Lake, N. D., after a visit at the home of John Asselin, 1550 Prospect street.

We offer some choice investments—a few \$100 La Crosse club bonds, also municipal and other bonds and fine farm mortgages. La Crosse Trust Company.

S. D. Maine of Duluth is a guest at the home of his father in this city.

O. F. Pechl of Red Wing, Minn., is registered at a local hotel.

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F. J. Pinch, Hillsboro, Wis., is in the city today on business.

Henry Lewis of Winona, Minn., is a business caller in the city today.

A. J. Swinston of Viroqua, Wis., is stopping at a local hotel.

T. M. Smith of Wausau, Wis., is spending the day in the city.

Phone Gateway City Transfer Co. for your next back call. Phone 179.

Charles Morris of Geneva, Wis., is registered at a local hotel.

R. W. Coplin, Trempealeau, Wis., transacting business in the city today.

Otto Olson of Westby is in the city today on business.

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Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

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**CITY NEWS  
TICKER**

**County After Road Auto**  
County Clerk Bert A. Jolivet, R. W. Davis of Bangor, chairman of the county board of supervisors, and members of the road and bridge committee left today for Milwaukee, where they will attend the Milwaukee automobile show. The committee will probably purchase an automobile truck to be used by Commissioner John Hintgen in county road work. Mr. Hintgen accompanied the party. The committeemen are Orrin Fletcher, Adolph Nuttleman, Abel Moore and A. T. Mathewson.

**Glee Club Coming**  
The Illinois Glee club, a notable chautauqua quartet, will present the fourth number of the Baptist Brotherhood lecture course Wednesday evening at the Congregational church. The Congregational church is given to the Brotherhood owing to the progress of repairs at the Baptist edifice.

**M. and J. Meeting**  
A meeting preliminary to the annual meeting of the Manufacturers' and Jobbers' club will be held tomorrow night at the La Crosse club. The annual meeting of the club will be held during the latter part of January or the first part of next month.

As a rule, when the bully gets whipped, as everyone hopes he will, it is by another bully.

**Your Old Watch  
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Our watch repair department is in charge of a practical watchmaker of long experience with foreign and domestic watches. If you have a watch that does not run satisfactorily, we are positive we can make a good timepiece of it. Let us examine your watch and make an estimate of the work necessary to make it new and reliable.

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in its place?

That the corrupt way of the ancient City Fathers is on the wane?

That those notorious old timers, Boodle and Graft, have lost their jobs, and Efficiency and Service have taken their places at the Council Table?

Perhaps your city has shared in the great conversion to Efficiency. If so, you will want to compare it with all the others.

Perhaps you are still paying taxes into the pockets of the "city hall gang." If so, it is most important that you learn how to quit.

The account of this momentous change in American city rule, the description of the many curious and significant experiments in municipal government, has been made into a serial that will be of absorbing interest to all Americans.

The articles begin in heroic Galveston, and include New Orleans, Oklahoma City, Des Moines, Dayton, Battle Creek, Reading, and many other cities, large and small.

You will want to read every line of this great series

**MANAGING THE CITY**

By Frederic J. Haskin

STARTING IN THIS NEWSPAPER

Thursday, January 13, 1916

FIND OUT HOW THE OTHER FELLOW RUNS HIS TOWN

**Society**

**ENTERTAINS AT BETHANY CENTER**

Saturday night Mrs. James Barta of 933 Tyler street, was hostess at a large neighborhood gathering held at Bethany Center, Ninth and Tyler streets. The party was in honor of her sister, Mrs. K. Sped Brown, and Mr. Brown, who were recently married. In the party were grandmothers and grandfathers and all sizes and ages down to the youngest children in the families and all had a happy time.

**PARTY FOR GYM TEACHERS**

Thursday evening in honor of the return of their gymnasium teachers, the Misses Johnstad and MacMillan, the older girls' class at the Center held a New Year's party. Miss Merle Miles of the Normal school, assisted greatly in the entertainment by playing the piano for the girls, and with games and songs the evening was pleasantly spent.

**HELPERS' CLUB**

The Helpers' club will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. John S. Hougen.

**S. S. BOARD TO MEET**

There will be a meeting of the Sunday school board of the First Methodist church, corner Eighth and King streets, at the church parlors this evening.

**DINNER AND DANCE  
ACCOMPANY INSTALLATION**

A dinner and dance will be accompanying features of the installation meeting of the La Crosse Commandery of the Knights Templar at the Masonic Temple this evening. Ladies and guests of the knights will attend the dinner, which will begin at 6:30. During the business meeting of the commandery following the dinner there will be an informal social session for the ladies and visitors, who will be spectators at the installation ceremonies which follow. An hour or two of dancing will finish the evening's entertainment.

**FOR MISS LARSON**

Miss Edythe Schwartz, 1216 South Seventh street, was hostess at a luncheon Thursday evening in honor of Miss Mae Larson of Rochester, Minn. Covers were laid for ten. Music and cards furnished entertainment for the guests.

**COFFEE**

Mrs. George Burton, 1428 Main street, entertained at a coffee on Saturday afternoon in honor of her guest, Mrs. Leet, of Omaha. Mrs. Leet was formerly Miss Eva Clarke, and is well known in the city.

**TIMLIN TO RUN AGAIN?**

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 10.—Associate Justice W. H. Timlin, Milwaukee, is expected to announce his candidacy for re-election here today. If Timlin is a candidate Attorney General G. B. Owen, who had intended to become a candidate, will withdraw. It is understood. Owen will probably run for re-election to his present office.

**FIRST 1916 CHICKS  
MAKE BOW TODAY**

The first chicken hatch of 1916 in La Crosse, is claimed by Mrs. Albert Petrick, 212 Ferry street, who also held the record for the first hatch in 1915. The first chick peeked through its shell in an incubator early this morning, and Mrs. Petrick was first on hand to witness the event. At short intervals the chick's brothers and sisters made their appearance and at noon there were seven. The chicks are buff cochin.

**Work  
A Pleasure**

is largely a matter of health; and in this a big factor is eating the right kind of food—food that repairs the daily wear and tear of body and brain—keeps one in trim.

**Grape-Nuts**

FOOD

made of whole wheat and malted barley, supplies all the rich nourishment of Nature's field grains, including their vital mineral salts, so lacking in many foods, but all-important in building up and sustaining brain, nerve and muscle tissue.

Grape-Nuts with cream or good milk supplies sound, well-balanced nourishment—makes for happy days and successful endeavor.

"There's a Reason"

Sold by Grocers.

**STARS**

**TODAY, Tuesday and Wednesday**

William Collier, Mack Sennett, Joe Weber, Lew Fields, Sam Bernard, Joe Jackson, Ford Sterling, Polly Moran, Mae Busch and Others

—IN—

**"Fatty And The Broadway Stars"**

A Sennett Triangle-Keystone Production

—AND—

**Dorothy Gish, Frank Campeau**  
And Owen Moore in

**"Jordan is a Hard Road"**

**Hear Our Splendid 8 Piece Orchestra Play This Attraction**

**THE GREATEST SHOW  
EVER OFFERED FOR A**

**DIME  
MAJESTIC  
OF COURSE**

**SENATE WOULD KNOW  
ACCESSIBILITY OF  
AMERICAN SHORES**

Daniels Instructed to Give Fletcher's Report Foreign Fleet Could Land Fleet

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Secretary Daniels Saturday was instructed by a unanimous vote of the senate to make public the report of Admiral Fletcher of August 16, 1915, which declared that a foreign fleet would be able to land troops on the shores of the United States. The action came on a resolution by Senator Lodge.

Secretary Daniels has opposed giving out this report on the ground that he did not wish foreign nations to know its contents. There was no debate in the senate on the passage of the resolution.

**SPOTLIGHTS**

Some years ago Ben Holmes, who comes to the La Crosse Theater on Monday, Jan. 10, attempted the portrayal of Shakespearean roles, but soon gave it up convinced that the average theater goer cared more for amusement than high art, and since then Mr. Holmes has devoted his days and half his nights in simply amusing the public, and he has succeeded admirably in his endeavors from coast to coast. As a fun maker he ranks with the foremost and in his portrayal of the ever lovable German characters he reminds one of the days of J. K. Emmett and his "Fritz."

This season Mr. Holmes is appearing in a comedy drama with songs, titled, Happy Heine and the slogan of the play is "Miles of Smiles And Not a Blush." The plot concerns the fortunes of "Kate Conway" who is the heiress to a supposedly worthless gold mine out of which she is being swindled by a rascally step father. Heine appears on the scene and how he saves the mine for Kate, shows the stepfather up in his true light, avoids marrying a designing old Irish widow and eventually wins the heart and hand of "Kate," are some of the events in the most unique and interesting play of recent years.

**FORMER RESIDENT  
SHOT IN FIGHT**

Norman Schmitt, formerly a resident of this city but now working as a brakeman on the Great Northern at New Rockford, N. D., is recovering in a Minot hospital from a brutal assault by three Greeks in the railroad yards at that place some days ago. Schmitt was terribly beaten and shot through the shoulder. The Greeks were arrested and later released on \$100 bonds. Schmitt was also placed under arrest.

Schmitt told the authorities that the Greeks attempted to hold him up in the railroad yards. The trio which attacked the brakeman made the same complaint against him. The B. of R. T. of which Schmitt is a member has retained an attorney to clear the young man of the charge laid against him by his assailants.

**RUSSIANS APPEAR  
TO NORTHWARD OF  
CZERNOWITZ LINE**

Main Heights Barring Advance on Kovel Are Reported Attacked

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Fierce fighting on a twenty mile front along the bend of the river Styr was reported in dispatches from both Petrograd and Vienna Saturday.

The Russians are assailing the Austrian lines fifty miles east of the important railway town of Kovel, objective of the offensive in Volhynia. Petrograd reported today that after capturing the town of Czartoryk the Slavs pressed on and captured a range of hills west of the town. They are now assailing the main heights barring the advance on Kovel.

The fighting in this region has temporarily detracted attention from the struggle northwest of Czernowitz and along the Tarnopol-Trembowla line, where nearly a million men with several thousands are reported to be engaged. This is true mainly because the possibilities of an important military success are greater in the offensive east of Kovel than at any other point in the struggle.

Did you read, "The Girl Who Was Afraid to Get Married"? Then get this story by the same author, "Her Trial Marriage". In Every Week.

**ACID IN STOMACH  
SOURS THE FOOD**

Says Excess of Hydrochloric Acid is Cause of Indigestion.

A well-known authority states that stomach trouble and indigestion is nearly always due to acidity—acid stomach—and not, as most folks believe, from a lack of digestive juices. He states that an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach retards digestion and starts food fermentation, then our meals sour like garbage in a can, forming acid fluids and gases which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. We then get that heavy, lumpy feeling in the chest, we eructate sour food, belch gas, or have heartburn, flatulence, water-brash, or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead, get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast while it is effervescent, and furthermore, to continue this for one week. While relief follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and sodium phosphate. This harmless salts is used by thousands of people for stomach trouble with excellent results.



# Wm. Faversham

EMINENT STAR OF THE STAGE AND SCREEN

IN

## "One Million Dollars"

A METRO PRODUCTION

Today THE CASINO Tomorrow

MARY PICKFORD  
in  
MADAME BUTTERFLY  
TONIGHT and TUESDAY  
Come Early.

"The Devil's Prayer Book"  
Five reel Kleine  
Wednesday Only  
THE BIJOU

THE STRAND  
Tonight Only  
"THE APACHES OF PARIS"  
Four part thriller. Also a one reel comedy.  
"The Fable of the Unemployed"

THE CASINO  
WILLIAM FAVERSHAM  
in  
"ONE MILLION DOLLARS"  
A Metro.  
Today and Tomorrow

THE STAR  
Today and Tuesday  
"The Nature Man"  
IN FIVE ACTS

An achievement extraordinary. Man against brute animals unarmed.

The Film of a  
Thousand Wonders

In all the history of moving pictures there is no production which can compare with "The Nature Man," the time, the energy, the patience of its producers as evidenced by the rare pictures shown is nothing short of marvelous, says the Universal M. P. Weekly.

Also "Love and a Savage," Nestor comedy. Six reel show. Come early.

Wednesday, "Broken Coin"  
No. 8, L-Ko comedy, etc.

FAMOUS STARS MANY  
IN MAJESTIC FILM

An imposing array of famous stars figures in motion pictures which are to be shown the first half of this week at the Majestic. William Collier, Mack Sennett, Joe Weber, Lew Fields, Sam Bernard, Joe Jackson, Ford Sterling, Holly Moran, Mae Bush and others will appear in the Sennett Triangle-Keystone production "Fatty and the Broadway Stars." On the same program will appear Dorothy Gish, Frank Campeau and Owen Moore in one of Sir Gilbert Parker's novels entitled "Jordan is a Hard Road" produced by Allen Dwan supervised by D. W. Griffith. The music played by the Majestic's eight piece orchestra for this attraction will be a great feature.

FUNERAL TUESDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Tesley, who died at her home, 1107 Jackson street, Saturday morning, will be held at 1:30 tomorrow afternoon from the funeral parlors of Tetley, Stetten & Dahl. Services will also be held at 2 o'clock from the West Avenue Norwegian Lutheran church. Rev. O. C. Myhre will officiate. Burial will be made at Oak Grove cemetery.

MRS. JACOBSON DEAD  
Mrs. Sophie Jacobson, wife of C. J. Jacobson, 497 Oakland avenue, died at a local hospital Saturday morning at 3:30. Cause of death was hardening of the arteries. She was fifty years old and was a native of Syracuse, N. Y. Mrs. Jacobson's funeral will be held at St. Mary's church tomorrow at 9 a. m.

GOPHER FARMER DIES  
Antone Albrecht, a resident of Bush Valley, Minn., died at a local hospital yesterday morning with pneumonia. Two sons and two daughters survive. He was fifty-four years old and was a prominent farmer of Houston county.

### Wedding Rings

The very finest that can be made in 22 karat, 18 karat and 14 karat gold.

Every shape and size in the weight you wish to buy.

IRVINE'S, 429 Main Street  
DIAMONDS  
Geo. Irvine in charge

### THREE KILLED IN TERRIFIC BLAST IN DUPONT PLANT

Mysterious Fire Reaching  
Gun Cotton Thought to  
Be Cause of Ex-  
plosion

WHOLE COUNTRYSIDE SHAKEN  
Early Shift on Ferryboat  
Thrown Into Delaware  
by Force of the  
Blast

WILMINGTON, Del., Jan. 10.—Three men were instantly killed in a terrific explosion in a machine house in plant No. 1 of the Dupont Powder company at Carney's Point early today. A fourth man, who belonged to the crew in the house and for a time believed to have been killed, escaped death by reporting late for work.

The dead men are:  
John Walsh, P. C. Wynne and Richard Larney, the latter foreman of the mill.

Others about the plant escaped injury. Officials today denied reports that two men had been arrested and that dynamite bombs were found in their possession. It was stated that the explosion followed a fire, which evidently reached gun cotton. A searching investigation is made, however.

Fire Gives Warning  
The fire gave first warning of the danger to men in the plant. This accounts for the small death toll. It is believed all of the missing will be accounted for.

Towns for miles around were shaken, and windows in Carney's Point and Wilmington were all but blown out. The cause of the fire has not yet been determined.

Early Shift Saved  
The explosion occurred at 12:30, a few minutes after the night shift went on duty. The terrible blast interrupted all wire connection with the powder town.

The early night shift had just embarked on the ferryboat Long Beach when the blending tower of the plant went up in the air. The boat was only a few hundred feet out in the Delaware river, on its way to Wilmington. The men on board were knocked off their feet by the blast. Many of the men were almost paralyzed with fear when the ferryboat docked. All they could do was mutter incoherently and could not throw any light on the number of killed or injured.

### BUCHDA LEADS IN GALLERY SHOOTING

Forty Members of Company  
B Take Part in Rifle Practice Yesterday and Good Scores Follow

Sergeant Buchda was highest of the ten leading shooters in the Sunday afternoon gallery practice at Company B armor yesterday. Forty members took part. The following were the ten best records made out of possible scores of 150:

Lieut. Emil O. Schultz, 145; Q. M. Sergeant Wm. R. Buchda, 143; Roy Rogers, 134; Corp. Arthur Moe, 132; Sergt. Thomas J. Sholes, 131; Priv. Solomon Markos, 130; Corp. John W. Soller, 128; Priv. Rudolph Secky, 126; Priv. Harold Egg, 118; Priv. Earl Wilhelm, 118.

The highest score that was made in any of the positions of prone, kneeling, sitting or standing was a possible 50 out of 50 in the prone position by Quartermaster Sergeant Wm. R. Buchda.

Captain Herman Rupp desires to bring the company strength up to eighty-nine men before the annual inspection which the adjutant general has written him will take place as early as the end of February. Twenty more men are needed.

The captain invites any able-bodied young man to the armory to watch these competition shoots Sunday afternoon or at the regular weekly drills Thursday evening.

The following have been enlisted the past week:

Orton Johnson, 702½ South Seventh street; Leander Johnson, 702½ South Seventh street; Solomon Markos, 517 South Third street; Rudolph Secky, 1612 South Tenth street; Albert Skaff, 1347 Charles street; Earl Wilhelm, 628 West Avenue South.

### SCORES BRUISED AND INJURED BY SLIPPERY WALKS

Two Have Broken Legs and  
Physicians Report Other  
Less Serious Cases  
Are Numerous

MAN LIES HELPLESS FOR HOUR  
Traveling Man Slips on  
French Island Road and  
Is Helpless for an Hour  
Until Cries Bring Help

A fine mist which fell upon La Crosse and froze, covering the walks with a glassy film of ice yesterday afternoon and evening, caused at least two broken limbs and a harvest of bruises, a canvass of the physicians of the city discovered today. Scores of more or less serious injuries were reported in which bruises and cuts were the most serious damage.

Norton M. Brown, 32, a traveling salesman from Aurora, Ill., lay for nearly an hour in the French Island road around midnight last night, helpless with a broken ankle. His cries attracted the attention of Edward Orton, who carried him to Cusner's saloon and from there summoned help.

Brown started to walk from the island to La Crosse, slipped and fell heavily down the embankment of the road. His right ankle snapped in the fall. Dr. R. E. Flynn and two patrolmen took Brown from the island in the police automobile. He is at St. Francis hospital today, and is reported doing nicely.

Mrs. William G. Harget sustained a broken leg yesterday afternoon when she fell on the icy sidewalk in front of her home at 1516 South Seventh street. She is at home, her condition not being considered serious.

Miss Ella Bates, 117 North Ninth street, is confined to her room today as a result of a slippery walk accident yesterday. She suffered no broken bones, but was bruised and shaken up, it was said today.

### RETREAT IS MADE WITH NO LOSS OF LIFE IS REPORT

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bay and in the Anzac region to the Turks.

The Turkish commanders at once transferred their Suvla bay forces to Sedd-ul-Bahr and were preparing an attempt to overwhelm the Anglo-French troops at the tip of Gallipoli.

Berlin Reports Transport Sunk  
BERLIN, Via Wireless to Sayville, Jan. 10.—A violent battle lasting for three days preceded the Anglo-French withdrawal from Gallipoli peninsula according to Constantinople dispatches today reporting the greatest Turkish victory of the war.

"Turkish artillery sank an enemy transport filled with soldiers," Constantinople reported. "All of the enemy's positions were occupied by Turkish troops and enormous piles of booty, as yet uncounted, were taken. In the final fighting a Turkish aeroplane shot down an enemy biplane of the Farman type near Sedd-ul-Bahr."

Schools in Constantinople have been closed and the city decorated in bunting.

### WE HAD A PARTY JUST FOR OURSELVES

Members of The Tribune editorial staff, printers and employees of the business department held forth at Pavik's hall on Jay street Saturday night, in one of the most memorable parties of the newspaper's employees in its history. The affair was of the "stag" variety, and the employees were the guests of the management. The frolics frequently burst into song, with Frank H. Burgess as the choir leader, while more sedate members of the party played cards and other games. Refreshments and lunch were served during the evening. The party disbanded at midnight.

MRS. BETZ DIES

Mrs. Christina Betz, 77, died at the home of her son, Otto Betz, 1317 Johnson street, yesterday morning at 5 o'clock. Mrs. Betz had been a resident of La Crosse for a number of years. She has made her home with her son for the last six years, since she became a widow. Six sons and a daughter survive. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 9 o'clock from Holy Trinity church. Rev. Father Rierster will officiate.

### PRESIDENT TAKES PERSONAL CHARGE IN DEFENSE FIGHT

Executive Is Worried in  
Outlook and Will Take  
Platform for Pro-  
gram

FLOOR LEADERS NO SUPPORT

Kitchin Is Unreservedly  
Opposed While Kern Does  
Not Favor Present  
Plans

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—President Wilson, taking personal charge of the battle for preparedness, will appeal to the country soon to lend its normal support to his fight. Unsatisfactory reports from administration supporters in congress on the situation has let the president to determine on personal action. His first address to the people probably will be January 27 either at a banquet of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' association at Baltimore, or before the Railroad Business men's association at New York city. Which ever of these invitations he accepts, preparedness will be the subject of his address.

Tomorrow the president will confer with Chairman Hay of the house military affairs committee. He will refer details on the status of the fight. He will also urge Hay to take steps which will lead to an early forcing of the passage of the defense plans. The president expects the international situation to clear rapidly now and when it is out of the way he will "concentrate his efforts on national defense," it was stated at the White house.

The administration is faced with an embarrassing situation in congress. In addition to the fact that the democratic representatives report that the rank and file of the party from the central states are opposed to the program, the floor leaders in both branches are not actively supporting it. Kitchin in the house openly opposed, and being chairman of the ways and means committee, is in a position to further delay it.

Friends of Senator Kern, the democratic leader in the senate, say he "is uncertain" as to just what he will do. Kern's strongest statement has been that, generally speaking, he will support the program, but that as to just which of the various plans proposed he will favor, he has not determined. This attitude has not advanced the preparedness plans in the senate.

CARD OF THANKS.

We sincerely wish to thank the kind neighbors who assisted us in the sickness and death of our father. Special thanks to Rev. Benson and the choir of the Caledonia Street Methodist church, also the Old Soldiers and the Sons of Veterans, and all who sent floral offerings.

MR. AND MRS. CHAS. GREENE.

### GRAND JURY PROBE STARTED FOR FATAL OHIO STRIKE RIOT

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concealed weapons, some for larceny. All of the arrested men are foreign born and unnaturalized. Common Pleas Judge W. P. Barnum said deportation proceedings will be started against aliens found responsible for rioting. Aid of federal officials has been asked to send the men back to their warring countries.

Niagara Falls Has Case

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Jan. 10.—Rioting broke out at the upper plant of the Aluminum company of America today. Clubs and stones hurled by the mob broke many windows in the building. The police reserves were hastily called and fired several shots over the heads of the strikers in an effort to disperse them.

At 11:30 a. m. the strikers withdrew to a hall for a mass meeting. The Aluminum company has three plants here. The men affected are the pot workers. About 300 of these are at the plant where the rioting occurred, but this number was greatly augmented by strikers from the other plants about 1,000 men participating.

"Schwab—the Man Who Came Back," a big article about the biggest man in the steel business, by Albert W. Atwood. Get it in Every Week.

### WEAK FROM GRIPPE

Home Missionary Tells How She  
Stored Her Strength

"I am a Home Missionary, a weak and run-down after a hard spell of La Grippe. I had headaches, indigestion and pains in my chest, and was fired all the time. A friend asked me to try Vinol and the result is I am free from those troubles and I feel well and strong and able to go to work again," Mrs. Hattie Johnson, Towanda, Pa.

The reason Vinol was so successful in building up Mrs. Johnson's health is because it is a constitutional remedy which contains peptonate of iron to enrich and revitalize the blood, the nourishing properties of beef peptonate and the healing medicinal extracts of fresh, healthy cods' livers, all combined in a delicious native tonic wine, without oil. We wish every person in La Crosse, who is suffering from a weakened run-down, devitalized condition, would try our Vinol on our guarantee to return their money if it fails to benefit them. Hoescher Bros., Druggists, La Crosse, Wis.

### BUSINESS BETTER HERE SAYS REPORT OF AD ASSOCIATION

La Crosse Shows Proportionate Share of 16 Per  
Cent Rise in Sales En-  
joyed by Country

ONE OF 200 CITIES INVESTIGATED

Demand, Collections and Ad-  
vertising Increase Ac-  
cording to Interest-  
ing Report

Retail sales by leading merchants in La Crosse in six representative lines of business showed a considerable average increase in November, 1915, over November, 1914. This improved condition of business is revealed by the second annual merchandising research report of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World which has just been received here.

Department store sales made a gain of ten per cent and grocery sales a gain of thirteen per cent, the increases being regarded as indicative of prosperous business conditions. La Crosse was selected by the research committee as one of 200 marketing centers of the country and information obtained from local merchants is embraced in this comprehensive report.

Increase is Large

Consumer demand in 1915 as indicated by retail sales throughout the United States increased approximately 16 per cent over 1914, and collections improved materially, according to the second annual report of the merchandising research committee of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, which has just been received here in the January number of Associated Advertising, the monthly magazine published by the Associated Advertising clubs. In compiling the report November was taken as an index month to business conditions.

One Thousand Investigators

No less than 1,000 investigators called upon and interviewed merchants in leading marketing centers. Assurance was given that names of individuals or firms would not appear in the report, the object being to present only figures showing percentages of increase or decrease.

Investigations were made by commercial club secretaries and members of local advertising clubs under the general direction of MacMurtrei, of Minneapolis.

Increase in Advertising

Sales, local advertising, collections and the amount of stocks carried by merchants in November, 1915, were compared with those of November, 1914, to get the facts for the research report. Business experts concede that "as is November, so is the year's business in retailing," and November is recognized as an index month in the business world.

The frequency with which the investigation showed that sales rise as advertising is increased in a community—that increased sales and increased advertising go hand in hand—is an interesting feature of the report. An average increase of 2.5 per cent in local advertising throughout the country is disclosed. Retailers increased the stocks they are carrying 4.81 per cent.

Consumers Buying Luxuries

Satisfactory increases in jewelry sales were reported in practically every city, the average jewelry sales for the country being 18.9 per cent higher than those in 1914. This shows that people everywhere are buying luxuries, which is taken as a certain indication of good business, for necessities naturally come first and luxuries afterward.

An interesting fact which the report divulges is that while the jeweler's sales increased more, proportionately, than those of the grocer, the grocer as a rule, collects what is due him with much greater ease than any other kind of merchant.

Figures Show Actual Gains

The following table shows average percentages of increase in sales and advertising in the United States in the six lines of business investigated; the figures under collections indicate the number of points collections are above normal as reported by the merchants:

	Sales	Adv'g	Coll.
Dept. Stores	19.1	1.4	8.1
Grocery Stores	8.8	3.1	4.5
Clothing Stores	17.9	1.6	6.2
Hardware Stores	18.3	1.1	4.7
Drug Stores	11.6	4.3	4.4
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## Are You on a Party Line?

# Get Ready for Spring Business

By Changing To An Individual Line

Call the Contract Dept. Tel. No. 140 now, so we change your number for the next issue of the directory before it goes to press January 20, and service to be changed at the time it is distributed about February 15.

## The NEW PHONE

### MOTHER RUSHING TO TOMAH FOR LOST BOY IS IMAGINARY

Julius Biegel Sprinkles Cold  
Water on Tale That He  
Has Located Boy  
Stolen in East

TOMAH, Wis., Jan. 10.—(2:30 P. M.)—At noon today Chief of Police R. D. Preston received from Mrs. Striker photographs of "Bobby" Striker, her lost boy. They are said to resemble a child adopted in Colorado, and the chief will make a closer comparison this afternoon. It was said that the adopted mother knew enough of the antecedents of the child to warrant her conviction that her boy is not the lost "Bobby."

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### COLLEGE Y. M. C. A. WORK DESCRIBED BY FIELD WORKER

Work of the Y. M. C. A. among college men was described at a meeting in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium yesterday afternoon by W. T. Beaver, field secretary of student work for Wisconsin and the Dakotas. The meeting was enlivened by a splendid musical recital and a series of readings given by the Haliks, talented local trio.

Mr. Beaver traced the growth of Y. M. C. A. work among college men from its inception in 1875, showing that now about fifty per cent of all college men are interested in the work of making the colleges a better place morally as well as educationally. The movement has spread, said Mr. Beaver, until it has reached almost every civilized country on the globe. At the last world's meeting of the association, last year, fifty-four countries were represented.

The reading by Miss Elsa Halik of "The Man Who Sowed the Hungry Grass," was especially well received.

### FIRE DESTROYS A KRUPP FLANT

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### HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Good, live men to handle splendid Superior real estate proposition. McMahon Company, Superior, Wis. 1 7 10

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AGENTS WANTED—You can make big money selling our guaranteed trees, roses, etc. We pay highest commissions every week. Free outfit and part expenses. The Hawks Nursery Co., Wauwatosa, Wis. 1 8 14

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WANTED—Experienced girl for housework. 314 South Fifteenth. 12 3, 11

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. G. W. Luck, 933 Rose. 1 13 15

WANTED—Waitress in lunch room. Hotel Foley, 601 Mill. 12 13 11

WANTED—Chamber girls at Stoddard hotel. 1 7 10

WANTED—Girl for housework. Erickson's Bakery. 1 7 10

WANTED—Girl to work for board. 215 South Fifth street. 1 7 10

### SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Position by man as cook. Apply Box 401, La Crosse. 1 10 12

### REAL ESTATE for Sale or Trade

FOR SALE—Farm, 222 acres; 155 under cultivation; two miles from station on the Burlington road; house 30 rods from school. New cement barn, 8x35; 1,000 rods of covered hog wire; water in house and barn, good silo. For further information address Mr. W. Twining, West Salem. 1 5 11

FOR SALE—Summer cottage located in "Shore Acres" on Mississippi. Buy now, build later. \$100 buys acre. Terms if desired. W. V. Kinder, 114 North Fifth. 2 27 11

FOR SALE—Five room house on big lot, Fifth and N. Ave. Also five room house on corner lot Prospect and Ridge, also corner lot on Eighth and Perry, and lot on 23rd and Cass. Good sized house 621 So. Eighth. Could be used as duplex. Phone 1387-M. 1220 Mississippi St. 1 25 11

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—At bargain prices, the following second hand gasoline engines. One 6 horse power International, one 8 horse power 2 cylinder New Way, one 12 horse power Waterloo Boy. All in good condition, and many other slightly used at attractive prices. The A. C. Castle Engineering Co., Inc., 325-327 Jay St., La Crosse, Wis. 1 5 18

FOR SALE—Seven month Bull Orpington cockerels, now weighing even to nine pounds, \$2.25 each. Express paid on all orders received before Jan. 29. Geo. Brooks, Jr., Starta, Wis. 1 6 17

FOR SALE—Bargains in good used cars, 2, 4, 6, 7 passengers. Overhauled and guaranteed. Elsen and Phillips, 139 South Second. New phone 61. 10 14 11

FOR SALE—Household furniture, 121 South Fourth, cheap if taken at once. 1 8 11

### Public Stenographer

CALL 1373-C for typewritten work of all kinds or when in need of extra office help. Dictation, copying, convention reports. Ella Jennings, 616 King street. 12 18 17

### CUT RATE SHIPPING

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn. 1 10 12

### Stoves and Furniture

SECOND-HAND furniture & stoves. Bell Furniture Co., 216 So. Third. 3 17 11

### FINANCIAL

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate. \$100 and up. New phone 426-C. 1 4 11

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION lends money on real estate. Study its monthly payment plan. 12 4 11

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 11

### NEW FUNCTION FOR NORMAL MUSEUM

Accepts Insignia and Papers of Disbanded Organization for Preservation

The normal school museum has adopted another useful function, that of taking for safe-keeping and preservation anything of importance left by any disbanded organization which has been of importance in developing and building up the community. The first instance of this kind of work was the presentation to the normal school of the articles of incorporation of the Norwegian Workingmen's society of La Crosse and a large banner valued at several hundred dollars which had been owned by the association. A wooden figure of a lion, the emblem of the society, was also included in the articles handed over to A. H. Sanford by T. K. Peterson, one of three members of the board of trustees of the disbanded organization. The Norwegian Workingmen's society was at one time a thriving group of local people which held meetings in Odd Fellow's hall on Fourth street. It disbanded on November 19.

Another interesting addition to the museum was made by Paul Mahoney. This consisted of two clear snap shots of the north side shore of Black River when that section was a thriving lumber district. The old sawmill which was situated where Cope land park now stands is shown very clearly and the whole atmosphere in the picture depicts prosperity. Three steamboats are tied up along the dock. These are not the first pictures of parts of the city that have been secured. Articles such as these which have past conditions are especially desired. Copies can always be made from any original.

Among other acknowledged gifts received by the normal museum are the following: A number of old books including some political economies written by Adam Smith from Mr. J. G. Robb; a piece of carpet which once belonged to Charlotte Bronte from Mrs. Ide E. Babb; a number of pieces of old china, including several interesting types from Mrs. F. G. Tiffany; some Japanese slippers, shoes, a Japanese sword, German shoes and some coins from Mrs. F. H. Fowler; an old German instrument for giving medical treatment from William Greunzer.

### OLD CHIEF DIES

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—The great spirit of the happy hunting grounds welcomed the spirit of Chief Agallala Fire. The former Sioux warrior, fought against Custer, died at a hospital of wounds he inflicted on himself a week ago. He was tired of life after dwelling long in the land of the pale faces. Fire was ninety years old.

These babies won't have to worry. Their papas are all millionaires. Count their dimples in the picture section of Every Week.

### Daily Markets

(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Apples, Wash., 1/2 bbl. box ... \$1.50  
Apples, Jonathans, box ... \$1.75  
Apples, Ben Davis, bbl. ... \$3.50  
Apples, Gemtons, bbl. ... \$3.50  
Apples, Winkler, bbl. ... \$3.50  
Oranges, Navel Sunkist \$2.50 to \$4.00  
Oranges, Fla., per box ... \$2.25  
Cider, clarified, 1/2 bbl. ... \$1.00  
Cider, steam refined ... \$1.00  
Cider, crab apple, 1/2 bbl. ... \$1.00  
Cranberries, McFarlanes, bbl. ... \$8.50  
Cranberries, Late Howes ... \$1.00  
Bananas, Michigan, 15, 20, \$5.00  
Lemons, 200 to 260 box ... \$5.00  
Oysters, Standard, gal. ... \$1.20  
Grape fruit, per box ... \$4.25  
Grapes, Almeria, keg. ... \$7.00  
Opates, Seiects, per gal. ... \$1.50  
Sweet Potatoes, Va. bbl. ... \$4.00

### Livestock

(Quoted by Farmers' Co-operative Packing Company.)

Hogs ... \$5.00 to \$5.75  
Cows ... \$3.00 to \$4.50  
Steers ... \$4.00 to \$5.00  
Heifers ... \$3.50 to \$5.00  
Calves ... \$5.00 to \$7.00  
Sheep ... \$3.50 to \$4.00  
Spring lambs ... \$5.00 to \$6.00

### Poultry

Chickens ... 8 1/2 to 9c  
Spring chickens ... 10 to 11c  
Turkeys ... 15c to 16c  
Ducks ... 10c to 11c  
Geese ... 10c to 11c

### Flour and Feed

(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Straight, per barrel ... \$5.90  
Patent, per barrel ... \$6.10  
Bran, per ton, 100 lb. sacks ... \$23.00  
Shorts, per ton, 100 lb. sacks ... \$26.00  
White middlings, per ton, 100 lb. sacks ... \$31.00  
Red Dog, per ton, 100 lb. sacks ... \$33.00

### Grain

(Quoted by Farmers' Co-operative Market Co.)

Corn ... 75 to 85c  
Oats ... 35 to 38c  
Wheat ... \$1.00 to \$1.15  
Rye ... 90 to 95c  
Barley ... 75 to 80c

### Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound ... 33c to 34c  
Dairy butter, per pound ... 28 to 30c  
Eggs, fresh, dozen ... 28c  
Eggs, storage, dozen ... 25c

### Cheese

(Quoted by H. V. Anderson)

Fancy full Cream Brick Cheese, in cases ... 16 to 18c  
Wisconsin Twins ... 16 to 17c  
Wisconsin Daisys ... 16 1/2 to 17c  
Wisconsin Limburger ... 17 to 19c  
Wisconsin Swiss, round ... 23 to 25c  
Wisconsin Swiss Mock ... 21 to 23c  
German Hard Cheese, box ... 90c  
Primo ost, per pound ... 7 to 8c

### THE FORTUNE HUNTER IS COMING AGAIN

"The Fortune Hunter," the most popular play ever staged in this country, and a play that will in pictures and on the speaking stage live for generations to come, will be the attraction for Sunday at the Strand theater. The story was written by Winchell Smith, and the play was dramatized for the screen by Mr. Barry O'Neil. The play has been seen a number of times at the La Crosse theater and it has been here once in picture form when it was shown at the Casino last May at advanced prices to capacity business for two days.

Undoubtedly those who are familiar with Nat Duncan's adventure when he left the city and went to a country village in search of a fortune, will thoroughly enjoy renewing old acquaintance not only with Nat but with Samuel Graham, Josie Lockwood, Betty Graham and the other members of the well remembered cast. Those who never have seen the play will have a genuine treat in store for them.

Her Mental Status—"That surely was a paradox you brought into the family, my dear." "What do you mean?" "The cook you said you got out of an intelligence office."—Exchange.

### Foreign Markets

New York Stocks  
NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—The stock market broke sharply shortly after opening today, selling off one to three points in many instances. United States Steel lost 7-8, selling at 86 5-8; Mexican Petroleum dropped 3 1-2 to 117 1-2.

Steel sold at 87 at 11 o'clock and several other leaders which were hit when bears raided the market had recovered partially. Trading was light, however, around that hour. The opening hour sales were 237,000 shares.

Steel was steady at 86 1/2, more than a point under the days high, during the afternoon. Mexican Petroleum which touched 122, sold at 116 1/2 at 2 o'clock. American Smelters was down three points at 107 3/4. Trading was light in mid-afternoon. The market closed weak.

### Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 10.—Cattle — Receipts 14,000; market steady; steers, \$5.50 to \$9.00; cows and heifers, \$4.00 to \$9.00; stockers and feeders, \$5.50 to \$8.00; calves, \$6.00 to \$10.00.

Hogs — Receipts 1,400; market 5 to 10c lower; bulk, \$6.50 to \$6.75; heavy, \$6.65 to \$6.80; medium, \$6.35 to \$6.75; light, \$6.45 to \$6.60.

Sheep — Receipts 11,000; market steady; lambs, \$9.25 to \$10.00; ewes, \$5.75 to \$6.50; stockers and feeders, \$4.80 to \$7.85.

### Chicago Livestock

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Jan. 10.—Hogs—Receipts 85,000; market dull, 10 to 15c lower; mixed and butchers, \$6.50 to \$6.95; good heavy, \$6.55 to \$6.85; rough heavy, \$6.60 to \$6.70; light, \$6.35 to \$6.80; pigs, \$6.35 to \$8.60.

Cattle — Receipts 22,000; market steady; heaves, \$6.30 to \$9.50; cows and heifers, \$3.10 to \$8.40; westerns, \$6.35 to \$8.10; Texans, \$6.25 to \$7.10; calves, \$7.00 to \$10.75.

Sheep — Receipts 25,000; market 15 to 20c lower; native, \$6.75 to \$7.25; western, \$6.90 to \$7.35; lambs, \$7.75 to \$10.00; western, \$8.00 to \$10.25.

### Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Butter—Creamery extras, 30 1-2c; extra firsts, 29 1-2 to 30c; firsts, 26 to 28c; seconds, 24 1-2c.

Eggs—Ordinaries, 27 1-2 to 28c; firsts, 29c.

Cheese—Twins, 17c; Young Americas, 18 1-4c.

Live Poultry—Fowls, 12 to 15c; ducks, 15c; geese, 11 to 14c; springs, 15c; turkeys, 18c.

Potatoes—Receipts 15 cars; Minnesotas, 95c to \$1.02; Dakotas, 95c to \$1.02; Wisconsin, \$1.00 to \$1.02.

### Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.26 to \$1.28 1-2; No. 3 red, \$1.22 1-2 to \$1.25 1-2; No. 2 hard, \$1.22 1-2 to \$1.25 1-2; No. 3 hard, \$1.19 to \$1.20 1-2; No. 3 spring, \$1.16 1-2 to \$1.22 1-2.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 73 1-2c; No. 4 yellow, 71 to 72 1-2c; No. 5 yellow, 69 to 71 1-4c; No. 6 yellow, 67 to 68 1-2c; No. 3 white, 73 1-2 to 74c; No. 4 white, 70 1-2 to 72 1-2c; No. 5 white, 68 to 70c; No. 6 white, 66 to 67 1-2c; No. 2 mixed, 74 3-4 to 76c; No. 3 mixed, 73 1-2c; No. 4 mixed, 71 to 72c; No. 5 mixed, 67 to 70 3-4c; No. 6 mixed, 66 to 68 1-4c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 43 3-4 to 45 1-2c; No. 4 white, 43 to 45c; Standard, 46 to 47c; barley, 64 to 77c; rye, No. 2, 99c; timothy, \$6.00 to \$8.00; clover, \$10.00 to \$19.00.

### Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Sharp upturns in northwest wheat markets sent shorts scurrying for cover in the wheat pit in early trading today, but the longs took their profits seeding and shot the market down again. May opened 1/2c up at \$1.26 1/2, sold later to \$1.27 1/2, but slipped back to \$1.25 1/2 on later trading. July, which opened 1/4c up at \$1.18 1/2, lost 1/4c later.

Corn had a strong undertone on good demand. May ruled at 78 1/2c, after opening slightly higher and July sold at 78 1/2c, 1/2c above Saturday's close.

Oats trade was active and the market strong. May selling around 48 1/2c and July at 47 1/4c.

Provisions again were higher, despite enormous hog receipts and a slump in prices at the pards.

### FUNERAL IS HELD FOR FIRE VICTIM

Rev. McCrary Officiates at Funeral for L. Streech Who Was Burned at Dutch Creek

BANGOR, Wis., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—The funeral services for Leopold Streech, who was burned to death at her home in Dutch Creek Friday morning, were held yesterday afternoon from the Baptist church. Short services were also held at the home. Rev. McCrary officiated. Burial was made at Fairview cemetery.

Local and Personal  
Rudolph Hoesley came up from La Crosse and spent Sunday with relatives.

Misses Asenath and Marguerite Page are visiting at Chicago. Miss Crystal Spillane and Carl Selehre played with the West Salem orchestra at a dance at Stevenstown Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Evans came up from La Crosse Sunday to remove J. P. Evans, who is ill, to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Sidney Sanders, at Minneapolis.

The ladies sewing circle of the Baptist church and all members and others interested in church work are requested to be present at a business meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. W. H. Preston Wednesday afternoon.

The Bangor basket ball team played with the Cashton team at that place Saturday evening, the home boys being the losers.

Mrs. Nellie Backus was a La Crosse visitor Saturday.

Rev. E. W. Griffiths of Lake Crystal, Minn., delivered the sermon at the Baptist church Sunday evening.

### GOPHER FANS ARE AFTER OFFICIAL FIGHT DECISIONS

ST. PAUL, Jan. 10.—Politicians who are also fight fans set about today to call a special meeting of the Minnesota boxing commission to make official decisions in Minnesota boxing meets legal. Louis F. Dow, president of the Capital City Athletic club, today reiterated his statement that a decision would be given officially in Young Ahearn-Mike Gibbons bout here in January. State law specifically prohibits decisions. Authorities merely raised their eyebrows.

P. S.—Press agents for the scrap today also let it be known that Young Ahearn's real name is Jacob Woodward Ahearn.

### WEATHER BULLETIN

Stations	(L.)	(Hi.)	(P.)
Boston	22	26	0
Charleston	44	46	0
New York	28	30	0
Washington	26	30	.02
Galveston	62	64	0
Jacksonville	52	54	0
New Orleans	60	60	.12
Chicago	38	38	.04
La Crosse	18	25	.02
Madison	34	34	.02
Memphis	50	50	0
Bismarck	36	36	.01
Minneapolis	16	16	.01
Huron	4	38	0
Kansas City	40	52	0
St. Paul	0	0	.01
Boise	32	38	.02
Denver	28	56	0
Helena	14	32	.08
Miles City	10	18	.08
Portland, Ore.	32	38	.10
Spokane	22	36	.02
Medicine Hat	22	—	.10

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
WHEAT—				
May	126 1/2	127 1/4	124 1/4	124 1/2
July	118 1/2	119 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
CORN—				
May	78 1/2	78 3/4	78	78 1/4
July	78 1/2	78 3/4	78	78 1/4
OATS—				
May	49	49	48 1/2	48 3/4
July	47 1/4	47 1/2	47 1/4	47 1/2
PORK—				
Jan.	18.75	18.75	18.75	18.75
May	19.25	19.30	19.20	19.22
LARD—				
Jan.	10.20	10.25	10.17	10.25
May	10.45	10.52	10.37	10.47
RIBS—				
Jan.	10.45	10.45	10.37	10.37
May	10.75	10.80	10.75	10.75

### VERDICT FAVORS SIX DIRECTORS OF THE NEW HAVEN

Jury Absolves Six After Fifty-one Hours of Deliberation; Disagree on Five

### TWO TO ONE FOR ACQUITTAL

William Rockefeller One of Those for Whom Jurors Stood 8 to 4 for Acquittal

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Six of the eleven former directors of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, charged by the government with criminal violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, were found not guilty late on Sunday by the jury that for nearly three months has been trying the case. The jury disagreed on five men.

Those acquitted were D. Newton Barney, Farmington, Conn.; Robert W. Taft, Providence, R. I.; James S. Hemingway, A. Heaton Robertson and Frederick F. Brewster, New Haven; and Henry K. McHarg, Stamford, Conn.

Those on whom the jury disagreed were William Rockefeller, New York; Charles F. Brooker, Ansonia, Conn.; Charles M. Pratt, Brooklyn; Lewis Case Ledyard, New York; and Edward D. Robbins, New Haven.

The verdict was returned after fifty-one hours of deliberation. The final vote on the five defendants upon whom the jurors could not agree stood 8 to 4 for acquittal.

The defendants were indicted on Feb. 26, 1915. The trial began on Oct. 13 last. It was estimated that it entailed an expense to the government and defendants of \$750,000.

Arrangements for the retrial of William Rockefeller and the four other directors on whose guilt on conspiracy charges the federal jury disagreed, were begun by the district attorney's office here today.

With the tons of testimony to be briefed and arranged to bring the government's heaviest forces to bear on the five defendants to be retried, however, it is believed weeks will elapse before another jury is drawn.

### ANDERSON WILL TALK TO RISK MEN

State Actuary Will Speak at Association Dinner Tomorrow Evening

L. A. Anderson, actuary for the Wisconsin insurance department and a recognized authority on insurance matters, will address the La Crosse Association of Life Underwriters tomorrow evening at the Hotel Stoddard. Guests from out of town are expected to be present, and an invitation is extended to all life insurance men in the city whether they belong to the association or not. The meeting will be preceded by a dinner.

### THE SUNDAY HERALD

In Cadorna's story, General Paganini tells about rise of his companion in arms, chief of Italian army in the New York Herald Sunday, January 16, 1916. An American newspaper for American people. Best war pictures from all fronts.

### HERE'S ANOTHER WITH SOME COIN

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—A real live westerner in the person of Jack Golden of San Antonio today stirred things in fistie circles here with the announcement that he is willing to watch a Welsh-White go, if staged in the Lone Star state, and pay \$15,000 for the privilege.



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**MONTENEGRINS FROM  
AMERICA LOST WHEN  
SHIP STRIKES MINE**

CETTINJE, Jan. 10.—Official dis-  
patches confirmed the reports that  
at least 200 Montenegrins from  
America lost their lives when an  
Italian steamer, carrying them from  
Brindisi to Montenegro, struck a  
mine Friday.  
About 225 of the Montenegrins  
who were on their way home to en-  
list in the army of King Nicholas  
were rescued by fishing vessels.  
A man is never defeated until he  
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**HIGBEE RE-ELECTED  
PRESIDENT OF CLUB**  
La Crosse Gun Club Officers  
Are Chosen at a Meeting  
Held Satur-  
day

J. E. Higbee was on Saturday  
night re-elected president of the La  
Crosse Gun club at a meeting held at  
the Hotel Stoddard. J. A. Bartl was  
chosen to serve another term as vice  
president and C. F. Sutor retains his  
place as secretary-treasurer. A. J.  
Roberge was elected field captain,  
succeeding Frank Schwalbe, Jr.  
Roberge opened his tenure of of-  
fice as field captain by breaking 49  
of the 50 targets in the Sunday  
shoot.

Four perfect scores were made in  
the Homecoming event by J. A. Bartl,  
John Schleiter, George Rose and M.  
S. Locke.

**BETHANY CENTERS  
PLAY TEAM FROM  
HIGH TONIGHT**

The Bethany Centers, newly or-  
ganized, will play their first basket  
ball game of the season tonight at  
the Bethany Center gymnasium, 1420  
North Ninth street, meeting a pick-  
ed team from the class teams of the  
high school. No admission will be  
charged.

The squad is composed as follows:  
Grosskopf, Temp, forwards; Fon-  
tish, center; Kahltuss, Vedonie,  
guards; Goldsmith, Engler and Zie-  
linski, substitutes.

The high school team will be com-  
posed of Dickens and Regel, for-  
wards; Blatter, center; Kevin and  
Schiek, guards, and Moran, substi-  
tutes.

**MUST TRAIN IN FLORIDA**

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Tampa, Fla.,  
business men today indirectly notifi-  
ed Owner Charles Weeghman of the  
Cubs that they will hold him to the  
contract to have the team train there  
next spring. Manager Tinker wants  
to take the outfit to Shreveport, La.  
Weeghman was to call on President  
Thomas of the Cubs today to look  
over Cub contracts.

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# Sport News Of A Day

## RIVALS OF LOCAL HIGH FOR TITLE COME HERE NOV. 4

Riverside Authorities Agree  
Over Telephone to Bring  
Hopes to La  
Crosse

### LOCAL FOLLOWERS ARE ELATED

Students Anticipate Chance  
to Get at Folk Who  
Claimed Honors  
This Fall

Riverside, high of Milwaukee,  
which, with La Crosse lays claim to  
the state football title, will play La  
Crosse at La Crosse on November 4.  
That was the announcement of Fac-  
ulty Manager Layton Gouldin today  
following a telephone conversation  
with the Milwaukee school authorities  
in which, Gouldin announced,  
it was agreed that Riverside should  
come to La Crosse. A written con-  
tract, it is understood, will be mailed  
the Milwaukee mentors for signa-  
ture.

The development, which is consid-  
ered by local followers of the sport  
as a virtual acknowledgment by Ri-  
verside of the title claims of the local  
school, had Red and Black students  
and faculty in glee today. They saw  
a chance to get at the Milwaukeeans  
who are expected to put out next fall  
as strong a team as this year they  
were represented by. Chances of the  
Horne aggregation for the season of  
1916 are considered rosy and with  
the visions of a winning team goes  
confidence that the Red and Black  
will return victorious.

That the game will prove one of  
the biggest ever played on a local  
field, not excepting that with St.  
Paul Central this fall, is predicted  
because of the intense rivalry de-  
veloped through clashing claims to the  
state championship.

## BOWLING

Sparta and Tomah alleys artists  
were no match yesterday for La  
Crosse talent, the visitors falling be-  
fore the Roths and the Nelsons of  
the City League. Total match points  
was the basis for play. Sparta de-  
feated Tomah in an evening match.

	Tomah
Gondreziek	112 148 170
Kubal	187 164 115
Lamb	143 156 130
G. Gondreziek	155 142 154
Storkel	160 206 126
Totals	757 816 635
Grand total	2,268

	Nelsons (City League)
Mekyvold	159 189 231
Wittenberg	115 144 165
F. Roth	145 156 171
Bollrud	179 137 166
Paulson	146 166 236
Totals	744 793 969
Grand total	2,506

	Sparta
Hebard	145 120 128
Baldwin	142 154 169
Stevenson	129 160 193
Merrill	129 113 126
Geo. Stannard	202 140 215
Totals	728 687 845
Grand total	2,260

	Roth (City League)
Roth	168 164 126
Keeler	163 158 135
Old	166 166 158
Brubla	164 168 200
Lapitz	165 141 168
Totals	826 797 797
Grand total	2,420

	Sparta
Hebard	186 181 133
Stevenson	151 158 197
Merrill	108 129 131
Baldwin	176 154 135
Stannard	136 187 156
Totals	757 806 752
Grand total	2,315

	Tomah
Kubal	223 147 157
R. Gondreziek	110 137 145
Lamb	153 148 156
G. Gondreziek	152 124 161
Storkel	122 154 122
Totals	760 710 741
Grand total	2,211

	Koblitz (Postoffice League)
Koblitz	132 151 199
Chose	166 158 110
Dean	101 115 157
Berg	120 139 169
Totals	519 563 636

	Fladlien
Fladlien	130 96 116
Miller	125 173 182
Lund	132 135 175
Otto	142 132 123
Totals	549 536 624

### NAMES JEWISH RELIEF DAY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Presi-  
dent Wilson has named January  
27 as Jewish relief day and will is-  
sue a proclamation calling attention  
to the need of Jewish people in Eu-  
rope as a result of the war. His ac-  
tion followed a senate resolution.

Always Two—Mrs. Willis—"Have  
you made out the list of the people  
to whom you want to give presents?"  
Mrs. Willis—"Yes; and also another  
list of the people I don't want to give  
presents to but have got to."—Life.

## TWO TOURNAMENTS STARTED AT "Y"

Handball and Billiard Tour-  
neys Opened for Play  
for First Time  
Today

Handball and billiards were in full  
swing at the Young Men's Christian  
association today. Annual tourna-  
ments in both activities were started.  
Handball—this season occupies,  
probably, its greatest position in as-  
sociation affairs in the history of the  
institution. Three classes of seniors  
and two of business men have been  
organized with a total of twenty-  
eight teams enrolled. Classes A, B  
and C comprise the seniors and AA  
and BB the business men, who this  
year for the first time are engaging  
actively in the game.

Terms of play are that each team  
shall play every other team of its  
class in three series of three games  
each, per centage of games won and  
lost to be the basis of ranking. April  
1 is to see the close of the tourna-  
ment, at which time a banquet will  
be given. Prizes to the winners in  
each class will be sterling silver  
rings bearing the association em-  
blem.

Three classes with a total enroll-  
ment of 45, have been organized for  
the cue tourney, which also comes to  
a close April 1.

## MEANWELL TOSSERS BEAT BOILERMAKERS

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Jan. 10.—Wis-  
consin had little trouble in defeat-  
ing Purdue at basket ball Saturday  
night. The score was 33 to 17. The  
Badgers displayed great speed and  
good teamwork and at no time were  
they in danger. Lewis, Hass and Ol-  
son were the stars for the visitors.

### GAFFNEY AFTER GIANTS

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—James  
Gaffney is now reported to be ang-  
ling for the Giants. Following the  
sale of the Boston Braves, Gaffney  
is said to have expressed a desire to  
take over the New York team. Gaf-  
fney's business interests are centered  
here and he could direct his baseball  
club affairs to better advantage than  
in Boston, it is said.

### STOVALL WON'T TALK

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—George Stov-  
all, manager of the late Kawfeds,  
and the first big leaguer to jump to  
the Federals, today refused to dis-  
cuss the report that he had been of-  
fered the managership of the Cleve-  
land Indians.

## NORMAL TRIMS UP NORTH SIDERS BY SCORE OF 64—9

Sputh's Men Have Little  
Trouble in Taking First  
Game of Regular  
Schedule

### WEISSE NO DISAPPOINTMENT

"Lump" Sends Sphere  
Through Basket Eleven  
Times and Strum  
Gets Eight

The North Side basket ball aggre-  
gation fell to the powerful attack of  
the normal shooters on Saturday  
night, the slaughter ending with the  
score standing at 64-9 with Sputh's  
men on the big end. The North Siders  
were without their star man, "Tuts"  
Gardner, who has been ill for the last  
few days. Notwithstanding that, they  
put a desperate battle although they  
could seldom solve the normal of-  
fense. After the intermission be-  
tween halves the North Side men  
started with so much pep that it  
seemed as though they were to put  
up some real stuff. However, it was  
not long before Weisse and his as-  
sistants were again tossing ringers  
although they did not finish as  
strong as they had begun. Weisse  
netted his usual group of baskets,  
shooting "the buckets" eleven times  
all told, nine times in the first half.  
Strum played a strong game in the  
second period. He shot six baskets



in the second frame and two in the  
first.

**First of Regular Schedule**  
This game was the first on the  
normal's regular schedule. The same  
men played on Saturday night who  
made the pre-holiday trip. The next  
contests for which the normal will  
have to prepare will be the two games  
with Red Wing this week. From the  
calibre of ball which the Minnesotans  
have put up in previous years, it  
would seem that the local team will  
meet as good a team as they have met  
this season, the only difference being  
that they will be in fit condition for  
this contest, not having been tired  
out by travel as they had been before  
many of their other games.

### The Lineups

The two teams lined up as follows  
for Saturday's game:  
Normal—Meinert, f; Grounds, f;  
Hoepner, f; Weisse, c; Strug, g;  
Wachter, g.

North Side—King, f; Swennes, f;  
Wreget, c; Clow, g; Knutson, g; Bangs-  
berg, sub.

### Seconds Beat Thords

The preliminary game of the even-  
ing was fast and exciting, the nor-  
mal squads composed of the second  
and third teams furnishing the  
amusement. The first half ended  
with four points for the thirds and  
double that amount for the seconds.  
At the conclusion of the struggle  
practically the same comparative  
score remained although much more  
scoring was done in the second pe-  
riod. Final score: Seconds, 25; Thirds,  
13.

### MAY SET PRICE FOR PLAYERS

ST. PAUL, Jan. 10.—That a max-  
imum price for unattached Federal  
players may be set by the American  
association at the annual meeting in  
Chicago Friday was admitted today  
by John W. Norton, president of the  
St. Paul club.

### "BOB" TO DISCUSS LABOR LAWS

RACINE, Wis., Jan. 10.—Senator  
La Follette supporters have made ar-  
rangements to have him deliver an  
address here next Thursday evening  
on labor laws in general and how  
they are enforced.

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**COLOGNE GAZETTE  
WANTS DISMISSAL  
OF U. S. CONSUL**

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 10.—The Co-  
logne Gazette, whose Berlin cor-  
respondent sometimes reflects the views  
of the German government, editor-  
ially demands the dismissal of United  
States Consul Edward Higgins at  
Stuttgart, declaring that he "is al-  
together British, except his citizen-  
ship." Several other German news-  
papers contain similar editorials, in-  
dicating that the attack on Higgins  
is inspired.

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honor than the conscience usually  
has.

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